

CANADIAN PARLIAMENT BUILDING BURNS

BOMB EXPLOSION IS SAID TO HAVE CAUSED FIRE

TWO WOMEN GUESTS OF SPEAKER'S WIFE PERISH

Several Policemen and Firemen Are Buried Under Debris When One End of Structure Collapses—Two Members of Parliament Are Missing—Building Valued at About \$5,000,000

BULLETIN.
OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—Two Dominion policemen and two common-law attendants who were working with other men in the chamber below the speaker's quarters when the roof fell, are declared to have been killed.

The main tower fell at 1:30 o'clock this morning. It was believed at that hour that there was slight hope of saving the library.

At 3 o'clock this morning the firemen said they believed the flames were under control and that they would be able to prevent their spread to the blocks east or west. The fire was then raging on the east side of the building. There were hopes that the library might be saved.

Sir Robert L. Borden made the following announcement at midnight:

"The house of commons will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The place will be announced later."

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—The historic Canadian parliament building was destroyed last night by a fire declared unofficially to have been caused by the explosion of a gas bomb or an infernal machine.

Two women guests of the wife of Speaker Seigney were overcome by smoke and perished. Several policemen and firemen were buried under debris when one end of the building collapsed.

The number of persons taken to hospitals had not been determined early this morning.

Two Members Are Missing.
Frederick F. Pardee, chief liberal whip, and William S. Loggie, a member of parliament from New Brunswick, are missing and it is expected they have lost their lives.

It has been established that the first burst of flames in the reading room of the house of commons was preceded by at least one explosion and probably by two. The force of the concussion was so severe that persons standing some distance away were hurled to the floor. A rigid investigation to determine the cause of the fire already has been undertaken by the Dominion authorities.

The flames spread with such amazing rapidity that the Ottawa fire brigade was utterly helpless to cope with them. Aid was sent from Montreal on a special train but at one o'clock this morning the fire was still raging.

The loss cannot be estimated in money. The building was valued at about \$5,000,000. But the contents are of inestimable value. There was no insurance.

Will Probably Save Library.
At midnight the commons and satchels had been destroyed and as the great clock boomed out the hour, flames were swirling up the magnificent tower and licking their way to its top. The parliamentary library at the rear, probably will be saved. Soldiers were assigned to carry out its contents.

Members of the parliament, spectators in the gallery of the lower house, government employees and others who were in the building, narrowly escaped death or injury. Within a few minutes after the fire began, corridors were filled with smoke and at many points walls of flame barred progress. There were many doors to the great building but since the outbreak of the war, all except the main portals have been closed to safeguard the legislators. This precaution made escape more difficult and probably was responsible for the deaths of Mme. Bray of Montreal and Mme. Morin of Beauce, one of the rooms of the speaker's suite.

Mme. Seigney saved her two children by dropping them into a fireman's safety net and then leaped to safety herself. Another of her guests, Mme. Dussault, saved herself in the same way.

Among those severely burned was Minister of Agriculture Burrell who fell unconscious after plunging through a curtain of fire and groping his way along a smoke-filled corridor.

Organizes Volunteer Brigade.
One of the first men to make his way out of the chamber was Colonel John Currie who led a Canadian regiment thru the battle of St. Julien,

where he was overcome with asphyxiating gas, organized a volunteer fire brigade which manned several lines of emergency hose. They played streams on the flames but were driven back by the terrific heat.

Several members of parliament asserted the fire began with an explosion which filled the reading room with flames.

The force of the explosion was so great that several were thrown flat on the floor. In their opinion, an explosive bomb or an infernal machine was responsible for the fire. Mme. Seigney, wife of the speaker, her two children and three women guests, were in the speaker's private quarters on the same floor as the chamber and reading room. They were cut off from safety by a wall of flame.

When firemen reached parliament hill they saw Mme. Seigney standing at a window with her children in her arms. A life net was spread and in a moment the speaker's wife and her children. Then she leaped safely into the net.

Mme. Seigney's guests were Mme. Bray of Montreal, Mme. Morin of Beauce and Mme. Dussault of Quebec. The only one of the three to escape was Mme. Dussault who leaped into the firemen's net. Firemen found Mme. Bray and Mme. Morin unconscious.

Both died soon afterward.

The flames from the burning parliament building were seen two miles away at Rideau hall, the residence of the Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada. The duke and others motored to the city but were unable to give any assistance. The cornerstone of the building was laid in 1857 by King Edward VII, then Prince of Wales.

Describes Experiences in Fire.
Ottawa, Feb. 4.—"I was on my way from the chamber to my room, which is near the library," said Mayor Martin of Montreal, in describing his experiences in the fire. "When I heard an explosion, instantly flames shot out from the reading room. My first thought was of the fire extinguisher, which was nearby, but policemen were then endeavoring to press it into service and I turned, running into the chamber. Deputy Speaker Rhodes was in the chair and everything there was tranquil until I dashed thru the door and shouted 'Fire—big one.' I turned toward my room again, but by that time the corridor was filled with smoke and flames were beginning to shoot toward the chamber. I escaped without a scratch."

Calls Montreal Fire Brigade.
"I reached the hotel about 9:15 o'clock and immediately put in an order for a Montreal fire brigade. I realized then that little of the building could be saved, but feared that other fires would break out. These are serious times and the unexpected has happened so often that I wished to have every protection possible. I believe that all the members escaped. There were only about fifty in the chamber at the time. Flames shot along the corridors at an awful rate and it seemed just a few seconds until the whole place was black with smoke, making it impossible to see. There was not much confusion on the floor of the house and to this many of the members probably owe their escape."

W. R. Bradbury was standing on the main corridor on the main floor, near the postoffice, when he heard a crash and rushed along the corridor toward the main entrance to the chamber.

"It appeared to break out in an instant," he said.

"I was standing near the postoffice when I heard the crash. Then I turned and saw several of the policemen and messengers hurrying along toward the reading room. I went into room 16, where many of the conservative members were and shouted 'Fire.' Before reaching that room there was another explosion of some kind which knocked me off my feet. The members soon came running out of room 16 and they all poured from the chamber. Within a few minutes that section of the building near the reading room was

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WILSON IS SPEEDING BACK TO WASHINGTON

EXECUTIVE IS CONVINCED MIDDLE WEST IS WITH HIM

President Tells St. Louis Audience U. S. Should Have "The Greatest Navy in the World"—Receives Important Dispatches From Lansing.

On Board President Wilson's Special Train, Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 3.—President Wilson was speeding back to Washington tonight, convinced that the people of the middle west are with him on the issue of national defense and are prepared to insist that congress take speedy action. He finished his speaking tour in St. Louis today and expressed the conviction that his mission has succeeded beyond his greatest hopes. He will arrive in Washington at 1 p. m. tomorrow.

When the president's train reached Indianapolis at 5:45 p. m. for a five minute stop a large crowd greeted him at the station. When cries were made for a speech he appeared on the platform of his car and said, "Indiana is all right."

Crowd Shouts for Mrs. Wilson.
The crowd then shouted for Mrs. Wilson, but the president told them she was resting and she did not appear. Members of the Indiana Democratic club sent Mrs. Wilson a large bunch of American beauty roses.

President Wilson's advisers believe he has explained clearly why he considers immediate preparedness imperative, has won many converts to the movement and has given new impetus to a discussion of the cause. From the sympathetic attitude of most of his audiences from the enthusiasm his every appearance in public has evoked, from the huge crowd which have greeted him, they have drawn the conclusion that the people overwhelming support his plans at least in the middle west.

The president's official family want him to start soon on another tour. Some of them liken his saving thru the middle west to an operation not yet completed. Enroute to Washington tonight they looked both south and west for the setting of his next appearance in the role of champion of national preparedness.

South Beckons With Many Hands.
The south beckoned with many hands. Senators and representatives from most of the southern states already have asked him to include their sections on his next tour. There is a feeling among some of his most intimate advisers that in choosing the scene for his next plea to the people the president could pay no greater compliment to his own political party than by going into its stronghold.

The west and northwest, or at least that section of the country that fringes the eastern slopes of the Rocky mountains, are hardly less insistent that the president's next visit shall be to them.

Minneapolis, St. Paul and Denver have presented what they consider strong claims and it is known that a trip to these cities is receiving careful consideration. It is possible that if the president makes another preparedness tour it may be a combination of the two—a swing to the northwest, including Minneapolis or St. Paul, or both, Denver and then south into Texas.

President Refreshed by Trip.
President Wilson goes back to Washington refreshed by the trip. The enthusiasm displayed by throngs which flocked to hear him has been tonic to his nerves. The addresses delivered at the chief stopping places have been apparently as beneficial as his usual game of golf.

At least 100,000 persons, his advisers estimate, heard the president's chief speeches. At least 50,000 were crowded about the rear platform of his car during his five minute talks. The great majority of these were out of the range of his voice. Hardly fewer than half a million others have been banded on the sidewalks to watch him pass thru the cities from railway station to hotel, from auditorium back to his private car.

Reviewing his trip in its lights the president told his audience in St. Louis today that he came away from Washington thinking that the country with him on the issue of preparedness and is going back knowing that it is with him beyond his greatest hopes. Apparently the president's conviction of this grew with each succeeding day; deepened in Kansas City last night when he asked, "Would you volunteer?" and receiving a thundering "Yes" from every section of the great convention hall and reached its climax with the demonstration today at St. Louis when he told an audience which cheered him tumultuously that the United States ought to have incomparably the greatest navy in the world.

Receives Dispatches From Lansing.
President Wilson received from Secretary Lansing today what members of his party characterized as "very important dispatches" relating to the foreign situation. Their exact contents were not revealed, but it was understood they related to the Lusitania and Appam cases.

The president spent the late afternoon reading the dispatches in his private car and thru them getting

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

DIXON, Ill., Feb. 3.—Floyd Snyder of Chicago and Charles Reed of DeKalb were killed today when a boiler exploded in the plant of the creamery package company at DeKalb, Ill. Several other workmen were injured.

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Feb. 1, Liman Von Sanders has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Turkish forces on the Caucasian front. He was commander of the first Turkish army and directed the fortification of Gallipoli peninsula.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 3.—The name of Charles W. Bryan, brother of former Secretary of State William J. Bryan, was filed today as a candidate for the nomination for governor, subject to the Democratic primary.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—King George today signed a proclamation fixing Feb. 10 as the appointed date on which the military service act shall be regarded as coming into force.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—The convictions of Donn M. Roberts, former mayor of Terre Haute, Ind., and ten others found guilty with him of election frauds were sustained by the United States district court of appeals here today.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 3.—Theodore Roosevelt has been invited to include this city in his speaking tour of the middle west, which he is reported as making plans for.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Dexter C. Stanley, whose hundredth birthday was celebrated Jan. 12 by the citizens of Downers Grove, a suburb, where he lived for 81 years, died today.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Religious organizations and charitable institutions are to receive approximately \$500,000 in bequests under the will filed today of Thomas Templeton, capitalist, of Evanston, Ill., who died Jan. 13. Presbyterian church organizations are the principal beneficiaries.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 3.—The United States Steel Corporation is to build a group of 1,500 by-product coke ovens at Clairton, near here, it became known today. The total cost will be \$15,000,000 and it is claimed that when completed the group will be the largest of the kind in the world.

LEMARS, Iowa, Feb. 3.—Dr. J. L. Reeves, who shot his wife last March and who yesterday pleaded guilty and was sentenced to one year in the state penitentiary, probably will be taken to Fort Madison late this week.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 3.—The Mines and Industrial hospital was opened for patients here today. Seven thousand miners will contribute 50 cents a month to the hospital and in return will receive hospital care for themselves and families. A hospital for southern Iowa miners is located at Albia.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 3.—Lynchings of more than a dozen negroes in Georgia recently is denounced by Governor Harris in a statement today in which he declared that "unless conditions improve by the time the next general assembly meets," he will ask for the enactment of "more stringent laws to stop lynchings in this state."

ILLINOIS CENTRAL TO PURCHASE \$3,000,000 WORTH OF EQUIPMENT

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—President Markham of the Illinois Central announced today that the directors of the road have approved the purchase of \$3,000,000 worth of new equipment, largely for new locomotives and passenger cars to be used between Chicago and New Orleans.

The order said to be the largest in recent years is in addition to the previous large order which is to be delivered within the next thirty days. Delivery on today's order is set for September 1. It is stated that while steel mills are rushed, with business the car shops have not been and the contract will give employment to several thousand additional car builders.

NAME RT. REV. J. J. LAWLER BISHOP OF LEAD, S. D.
St. Paul, Feb. 3.—Right Rev. J. J. Lawler, auxiliary bishop of the archdiocese of St. Paul, vicar general of the archdiocese and pastor of the St. Paul cathedral, has been appointed bishop of Lead, S. D., to succeed Bishop Joseph F. Bush, transferred to St. Cloud, Minn., in March of last year.

SCHLEINKE IS SENTENCED.
New York, Feb. 3.—Frederick Schleinke, formerly a clerk in the National City Bank, convicted of selling confidential information regarding the shipment of munitions to the entente allies was today sentenced to the penitentiary for an indeterminate term.

KEEP PRIZE CREW ABOARD THE APPAM

Prisoners Are Transferred Ashore to Board a Ship for New York

HAMILTON BOARDS LINER

Trouble Threatens for a Time When Collector Discusses Handling of Prisoners Baggage

ORDER SHIP KEPT AT ANCHOR

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Feb. 3.—Nineteen days of ceaseless vigil for the short-handed German prize crew aboard the former British liner Appam ended late tonight when the last of more than 400 British prisoners climbed over the ship's side to liberty on American soil. And for the first time since Lieutenant Berge and his twenty-two men boarded the liner from the raider which captured her on the night of Jan. 15, most of the Germans slept peacefully with but a few of their number on watch. All British subjects and the one naturalized American, G. A. Tagliaferri, quit the ship, leaving the prize commander with his crew and the twenty Germans who had been prisoners on the Appam, including three women.

Leave After Sharp Controversy.
Captain Harrison and the Appam's British crew left their vessel only after a sharp controversy between agents of the owners, Elder Dempster company, and the British embassy at Washington. The company desired its men to remain on the liner to support the claim that the German forfeit their prize by remaining in neutral waters. But the embassy insisted that every British subject depart as soon as permission had been granted by the prize commander on the demand of the United States.

Plans were changed every hour during the afternoon and evening, but the embassy's authority prevailed finally, and a special boat was provided to take the Appam's crew of 155 to Norfolk, to await the sailing of a steamer for New York tomorrow night. Meanwhile the 114 passengers and the 136 British seamen captured with the other seven ships taken by the raider Ponga or Moewe had been transferred ashore by steamers. Five of the seamen, one Englishman and four of the crew of the Clan MacTavish, all wounded, were removed to a hospital. All the others with most of the passengers were placed aboard river steamers for Norfolk. An old Dominion liner was being held at her dock to take them to New York. The British government is caring for all passengers and crews of the captured freighter and will send them on to England aboard the first available ship. The Elder Dempster company will arrange for the return of the Appam's crew.

A. P. Representative Boards Liner.
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Feb. 3.—An Associated Press representative, the first person besides officials to board the former British liner Appam, walked for an hour today about the upper decks of the prize ship, chatting with members of the German prize crew and their captives.

Being moving day on the boat decks were littered with almost every conceivable kind of baggage.

Negroes Amuse Passengers.
A crowd of West African negroes were on the upper deck, furnishing amusement for the idling passengers. A crowd of women from the main saloon above appeared the least concerned over their long detention of anyone on the boat. Several of them smoking cigarettes, a few were reading and the rest were calmly awaiting the coming of the steamer to carry them ashore.

Charles Johnson, the Russian quartermaster of the Appam, was loud in his praise of the German treatment of all. He speaks five languages and one of his assignments was to talk with the prize crew when passengers could not make themselves understood.

A husky member of the Appam crew, dressed in civilian clothing, came by. He looked worried.

"I can't help thinking of the poor naves aboard that German raider," he said. "Twenty of them were taken from the Appam. They were on their way to England to join some dreadnaught crews. Death is almost certain to come to them. A raider like that never stops until she is overpowered."

He continued: "The Germans are smart, but some of the fellows get the best of them. I am certain that we have some English army officers."

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ELEVEN LIVES ARE LOST IN ARKANSAS FLOODS

DAMAGE AMOUNTS TO HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

Hundreds of Families Are Homeless—Next Two Days Is Expected to See the Loss and Suffering Increased—Conditions Along Mississippi Improve.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 3.—Eleven lives have been lost and hundreds of thousands of dollars of damage done by the floods now devastating Arkansas. Hundreds of families are homeless and the next two days is expected to see the loss and suffering increased.

Two men are dead at Newman as the result of the floods.

A negro family—father, mother and child—were drowned near Melwood. Two other deaths had been reported from that district previously. At Pine Bluff, one man drowned and three negro women are said to have drowned near Dumas.

Flood Conditions Improve.
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—Flood conditions in the Mississippi river districts of Missouri and Illinois were greatly improved today, the Mississippi; the Meremac, the Illinois rivers and most of their tributaries receding steadily, railroad traffic being resumed over a majority of lines and fair and slightly warmer having been promised for tomorrow.

The Meremac fell three feet today and a number of families who have been routed from their homes in Valley Park returned to begin the work of salvage and repair. The Mississippi river stage here was 29 feet tonight, a fall of 1.3 feet in 24 hours. The first signs of a fall in the Illinois river were evident today.

Traffic on the Missouri Pacific, Iron Mountain and St. Louis and San Francisco (Frisco) lines toward the southwest was resumed today, although the Frisco could operate on its own lines only thru Moseley, Mo.

River Frozen at Burlington.
Burlington, Iowa, Feb. 3.—The Mississippi is higher than it has been for over twenty years at this time of the year. The stage is 13 feet above low water mark. The river has been frozen over since six o'clock this morning. Water is two feet deep in the office of the Diamond Rock Steamboat company.

Water Receding at Quincy.
Quincy, Ill., Feb. 3.—The Mississippi river continues to fall here now being only nine feet above low water stage, a fall of six feet in one week. The temperature is 16 above zero.

NEW PROPOSALS DELAY FINAL ACTION ON PHILIPPINE BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—New proposals relating to the conditions under which independence would be granted delayed final senate action on the Philippine bill today and when a recess was taken until tomorrow some leaders were doubtful whether a vote could be reached this week.

The Clarke amendment adopted yesterday under which the president would be authorized to grant independence within four years or might delay it after that period if he desired to consult congress was under fire in the debate today and the senate declined 43 to 32 to table a proposal by Senator Hitchcock changing these provisions. Under the Hitchcock amendment, which will be discussed further tomorrow, the United States would withdraw from the islands in from two to four years and would require that the new government's promise to fulfill its obligations to the United States be in the form of a provision of the Philippine constitution rather than a treaty pledge.

ARREST DANVILLE MAIL CLERK ON CHARGE OF RIFLING THE MAI

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 3.—Charles Clark, for ten years employed as distributing clerk in a local postoffice, was arrested today and held in \$2,000 bonds on a charge of rifling the mails. Five letters were found in his pockets when arrested, one of which had been opened and \$4 extracted. Clark claimed the letter was opened when he discovered it and it was placed in his pocket for the purpose of making an investigation, but could not explain the presence of the four unopened letters found on his person.

ASSESS HEAVY FINES.
Ottawa, Ill., Feb. 3.—Fines amounting to more than \$15,000 have been imposed on saloon keepers of LaSalle county who have been found guilty of violating the Sunday closing law. Each of the twenty-five saloon keepers accused of law violation will appear in court here on February 8 to pay the \$62.50 which has been assessed in each case.

ZEPPELIN IS LOST IN THE NORTH SEA

May Have Met Fate Thru Fire of Dutch Anti-Aircraft Guns

TRAWLER SIGHTS WRECK

Refuse Aid to Seventeen to Twenty Men Clinging to Gas Envelope

AIRSHIP SINKS COLLIER

A Zeppelin airship and probably all her crew has been lost in the North Sea, and it is possible that she met her fate thru the fire of Dutch anti-aircraft guns.

An English trawler reaching Grimsby reports having seen in the North Sea, the Zeppelin L-18 partly submerged and with seventeen to twenty men clinging to her gas envelope. Aid was refused the Germans because they outnumbered the crew of the trawler.

Fire Fifty Shots at Airship.
Fifty shots, some of which it is believed hit her, were fired at a Zeppelin Wednesday morning as she flew low in a fog over the island of Ameland, off the coast of Holland. This airship according to an Amsterdam report finally disappeared northward, a course which would have taken her out into the North Sea. Thirteen men of the crew of the Collier Franz Fischer were drowned when the collier was sent to the bottom in two minutes by a bomb dropped by one of the Zeppelins returning from the raid made on England. Only three men of the Fischer were saved.

Heavy bombardments are in progress at various points along the western line especially in the region of Loos, held by the British and around Neuville, where the Germans recently captured French positions.

Put Down German Attack.
The British are carrying out mining operations around Hullech. Near the Bois des Buttes, north of the Aisne, the French put down a German attack against their trenches.

There is comparative quiet on the Russian front except for bombardments and minor infantry engagements.

Unofficial advice says that floods in the Styrr river region have compelled the Teutons to abandon strongly fortified positions and that many deaths have occurred among these forces from pulmonary troubles, owing to exposure.

Along the Austro-Italian front heavy artillery duels continue. Nothing new has come thru with regard to the situation in Albania. A despatch from Athens gives a report of an encounter between Bulgarians and entente allied detachments at the junction of the Greek-Serbian-Bulgarian frontiers, in which the entente allies repulsed the Bulgarians.

News is lacking concerning the operations in the Caucasus and Mesopotamia.

A Bucharest despatch says the German Field Marshal Von Sanders, who was commander of the first Turkish army on the Gallipoli Peninsula, has now been made commander of the Turkish troops in the Caucasus.

An Austrian submarine in the Adriatic Sea has captured from the Italians the North German Lloyd Steamer Koenig Albert which was seized by the Italians in the harbor of Genoa in 1914.

BROWN SIGNS WITH CUBS
Chicago, Feb. 3.—Mordecai Brown and Mike Prendergast, pitchers, signed contracts today for one year with the Chicago Nationals. Both played in the Federal League last year.

WEATHER FORECAST AND TEMPERATURES.

ILLINOIS—Increasing cloudiness Friday with probably snow by night; Saturday snow or rain with rising temperature.

Temperatures.	
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Thursday were:	
Jacksonville	17 21 7
Boston	26 32 22
Buffalo	16 18 14
New York	24 32 22
New Orleans	42 44 30
Chicago	13 16 6
Omaha	8 12 6
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Winnipeg	4 — 22



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TWO FOOTBALL GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TONIGHT

What promises to be two unusually fast football games are scheduled for this evening. Routt college takes on Lincoln college and the game is called for 7:45 in order to let the Lincoln team catch the Wabash train east at 8:45. Routt men expect to put up a big fight for the honors and the game should abound with thrills. A record-breaking crowd is anticipated.

J. H. S. vs. Springfield.
Dope has it that Springfield is coming over to clean up this evening on the local five. The J. H. S. men expect to be at the cleaning so the fans can expect something extra. That Springfield bunch is a live one and to quote the sport writer of a Springfield paper, "Coach Nevins is confident that they will be able to hand Jacksonville a more thorough trouncing Friday in spite of the fact that the game will be on a floor strange to the local players." Coach Huber is anticipating a big crowd. As a curtain raiser at 7:30 the Seniors and Juniors will play.

RANK OF KNIGHT.

At a regular meeting of Favorite Lodge No. 376, Knights of Pythias, the following candidates were given the rank of Knight: Herbert A. Mortenson, J. Edgar Martin, Ernest A. Rohlmann, and William B. Moseman. Refreshments were served at the close of the work.

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Objections Answered.

Some of the objections made in the past to extensive road improvements have been placed on the fear of increased taxation. The objectors have always overlooked the fact that better transportation facilities in the country districts would so decrease the cost of marketing that the extra tax money would be quickly overshadowed. There may be some argument along the same line advanced against the farm advisor movement, citing the first cost and the further fact that as farms improve the taxes assessed are higher. But again the argument is not sound, for while an increase in crops and better farm conditions may eventually bring some higher taxes, the greater crop returns will pay all these expenses and leave a worth while surplus.

Turned Tables on Mann.

Representative Mann, Republican house leader, is usually careful in his utterances and his success in politics has been due somewhat to his ability to figure out in advance something of the effect of the speeches he makes and the positions he takes in congressional proceedings. No doubt even he must have been surprised at the turn given his recent preparedness speech when he pointed to England as a nation which the United States is most likely to meet if the United States gets mixed up in the war. This surprise came when Congressman Davis of Texas, known as "Cyclone Davis," introduced a resolution in the house referring to Mr. Mann's speech and certain newspaper comment as giving adequate reason for action on the part of the president and congress declaring an immediate embargo on the shipment of arms and ammunition to Great Britain. Even Mr. Mann with all his dexterity of argument may find it a little hard to get around this clever bit of logic brought forth by the Texan.

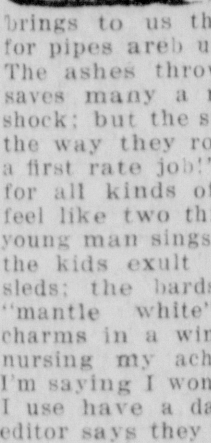
A Compromise in Chicago.

The list of delegates at large to the National Republican convention selected for approval by the Thompson-Lowden and Deneen-West factions of the Republican party in Chicago indicates that at least something akin to an understanding has been reached in the contest which gave promise of seriously jeopardizing the party's welfare. Evidently Senator Sherman's interests are not being overlooked and he is now

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

ONE MAN'S MEAT

The snow is good for the winter wheat, but it isn't good for rheumatic feet. And that is the way all things on earth; for some they're loaded with sterility, while to some they're bringing a freight of woe—there's rheumatism in the sparkling snow! The wind is bitter and keen and cold, and it brings delight to the plumb-er bold, but it brings to us the forbidding frown, for pipes are arching all over town. The ashes thrown on the icy walk saves many a man from a beastly shock; but the surgeon sighs "That's the way they rob a man like me of a first rate job!" The snow is good for all kinds of soils, but my feet feel like two third-rate boils. The young man sings as he lightly treads, the kids exult as they tool their sleds; the birds sing odes to the "mantle white" and find new charms in a wintry night; but I sit nursing my aching feet, and what I'm saying I won't repeat; the words I use have a dark green tint, the editor says they won't do to print.



DATES IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

Feb. 4, 1799—Shadrach Bond and John Edgar represented Illinois in the first legislature of the Northwest Territory, convened in Cincinnati. This was the first elected legislature in the history of the United States.

promised undivided support. Chicago Republicans need to remember that this is not the year to settle political scores or to make individual control paramount to party success. A united front is necessary and the logic of the situation seems to have appealed in at least some degree to the warring leaders.

Protecting Children.

The Keating bill as just passed by the house of representatives by the vote of 337 to 46 is indicative of the awakened public conscience with reference to child labor in this country. The bill bars from interstate commerce the products of child labor and imposes heavy penalties for interstate shipment of any commodity produced in whole or in part by children under sixteen working in mines or quarries, or by children under fourteen working in mills or other manufacturing establishments. Legislation for the protection of child labor has been opposed strenuously for years, especially in the south where so many children have been employed in the mills at very small wages and at such hard work that their minds and bodies have both been stunted. Not all that is desirable has been accomplished for the protection of children in this regard, but some distinct advances have been recorded in various states and the time is coming when public sentiment will make certain that righteous child labor laws are on the statute books of every state.

Sherman's Strength Increases.

Republicans of Shelby county at a recent meeting gave an unqualified endorsement to Senator Sherman's candidacy. Meetings are being held from time to time in the various counties and districts of the state and Republicans are coming forward with a united strength to support the Illinois senator in the presidential race. Senator Sherman's chances grow constantly stronger and his name is mentioned more frequently in the political comment of the press. It is admitted that his location in the central west is in his favor and his record in public life which has stood the test. An investigation of his record at Washington shows very clearly that the Illinois senator has achieved recognized place much more rapidly than is true of the average senator. His advice and opinion are valued by the biggest and most experienced men in the senate and the country today is taking the Sherman candidacy with due seriousness.

CORONER AND RAILROAD OFFICIALS IN LIVELY TILT

Resulted From Moving Body of Herman Foster From Thayer to Girard.

The action of the Chicago & Alton railroad in removing the body of Herman Foster, a brakeman, who was killed at Thayer on Tuesday, to Girard, in Macoupin county, without notifying Coroner Rhodes of Springfield led to a lively tilt between the coroner and officials of the railroad. The Foster family formerly resided in this county.

The net result was the providing of a special car to take the coroner to the scene of the accident, where an inquest was held, and later an apology over the long distance telephone to Coroner Rhodes from Bloomington by Assistant Superintendent C. W. Reardon, for the action taken by himself and his associates.

Coroner Rhodes first heard of the matter thru a friend and at once began an investigation, demanding an explanation from the railroad officials. A coroner's jury which investigated and heard testimony, placed the blame for the killing of Foster on the Chicago & Alton and the Chicago, Wilmington & Franklin Coal company.

Foster, while performing his duties as a brakeman, was knocked beneath the train on which he was riding, when struck by a car on an adjoining track. He was instantly killed. The body was taken to the station at Thayer and later removed outside the county without the railroad company giving any official notice of the death.

ROUTT'S BIGGEST GAME

7:45 tonight, Lincoln college.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. William J. Rainey and Mrs. William Kirtland of Orleans desire to express their appreciation to many friends for kindnesses extended because of the death of Rev. W. J. Rainey. They are especially indebted to the Woman's Country club, Pisgah Church Missionary and Willing Workers societies, the officers of the church and many others who sent kind notes of sympathy, beautiful floral offerings, or in other ways gave kindly aid in the hour of sorrow.

FORMER RESIDENT

Miss Ethel Mosby of Chicago is in the city, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Barri. Miss Mosby is here looking for a house, as it is the intention of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. H. Chapin, to come to Jacksonville at an early date to make this their place of residence. The family formerly lived here, but have been resident in Chicago for a considerable period.

A CORRECTION.

In an account of the death and funeral of Rev. Father Michael T. Macken, which appeared in Thursday morning's Journal, it was stated that he was a former rector of the Church of Our Savior in this city. The statement was in error, as it was his brother, Father P. J. Macken, who died seventeen years ago in Decatur, who was a former rector of the Church of Our Savior.

FRANCES WILLARD MEMORIAL EXERCISES AT MEREDOSIA

Program Arranged for Next Week—Parent-Teachers Meeting—Death of George Thompson.

Meredosia, Feb. 3.—The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. L. F. Berger, Feb. 9th. The Frances Willard memorial and Thanksgivings Day will be observed with the following program:

Music, "Stand up for Prohibition." Devotions, - Cor. 13; Psalms 18 20:25—Mrs. Sarah Moore.
Music, "Go Forward".
Business.
Sketch of Frances E. Willard—Mrs. Luther Rice.
Sketch of Madam Willard—Mrs. L. F. Berger.
Paper, "The Child's Room in the Home"—Mrs. Nettie Brockhouse.
Music.
Paper, "The Crusade"—Mrs. Maggie Black.

Roll Call—Quotations of noted men on the life of Miss Willard. An offering will be taken for the memorial fund at this meeting.

Benediction.

Parent-Teachers Association.
The Parent-Teachers Association will hold their regular monthly meeting at the high school building on next Tuesday evening. The question, "Resolved that all young men should be compelled to take one year of military training before their twenty-first birthday." Affirmative: O. W. Gould, C. W. McLain, W. A. Pond. Negative: B. E. Hayden, W. G. Looman and W. G. Burrus, will be debated at this time.

Rev. P. A. Soerensen of Bluffs was visiting friends here Thursday.

Dr. H. D. Hoover of Carthage College will have charge of the preaching services at the Lutheran church Sunday morning and evening.

School Lecture Courses.

The third number of the school lecture course will take place Saturday evening at the Ray Opera House when Lee Francis Lybarger will deliver his lecture, "The Survival of the Fittest."

Breaks Baby's Ankle.

On Wednesday evening as S. D. Allen was going to the home of his son, Ethan, and carrying his little two year old grandson, he had the misfortune to fall on the ice and in so doing broke the large bone in the little one's ankle.

Death of Geo. Thompson.

A telegram was received Thursday morning by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fields announcing the death of Geo. Thompson at Colchester, Mr. Thompson is a brother of Mrs. Fields but conditions will not permit her to attend the funeral which will be held Saturday in the above city.

Mrs. Bruner has been confined to her home the past week with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Dr. Frank Wilson of Versailles made a professional visit to this city, Wednesday.

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Are you going to jump in and buy it just because some friends or neighbor has the agency, and wants to sell it. We answer NO, let the other fellow experiment. Buy a Ford, and go when you please, and at less than two cents a mile.
Let C. N. Priest, The Ford Man, tell you about it.

LESTER VINYARD MEETS WITH SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Overcoat of White Hall Man Catches in Tractor Flywheel—Brought to Jacksonville.

Lester Vinyard, living four miles west of White Hall, is a patient at Dr. Day's hospital on account of injuries received in a peculiar manner early Wednesday afternoon.

He had gone into White Hall driving a tractor engine to which was attached two wagons, intending to haul coal home from the mill. While the tractor was standing at the mill, about one o'clock in the afternoon, the machinery still in operation, someone called Mr. Vinyard's attention to the oil can which had caused to slip out of place, he reached out to replace it, and in doing so it is supposed the sleeve of his overcoat caught in the wheel, jerking him out of the seat and he plunged ahead, the wheel stripping off his clothing and he sustained a severe scalp wound and a broken rib.

Accompanied by his wife and mother he was brought here.
Mr. Vinyard is a prominent Greene county farmer and president of the Greene county fair association.

SPECIAL COAT LOCKERS.

The Pacific hotel is having installed some new patent coat hangers. The hangers are lock concerns and after a coat is placed on the hook, a key locks it there. Arms about two feet long, made to swing back against the wall, will each contain ten of these lockers. The new idea will fill a needed want at the well known hostelry.

FORMER J. H. S. MEN GOING TO MILLIKIN.

According to the Decatur Herald-Clay, Kellbrow and Emil Meyers have registered at Millikin university. Both men are former J. H. S. stars in athletics, and well known by Jacksonville citizens. Meyers is from Mt. Sterling.

BIDS ARE ASKED.

Proposals are hereby asked for 3,024 feet of six-inch class B cast iron water pipe, together with fittings, to be delivered as directed by the city. Bids will be received until 10 a. m. Monday, February 14, and must be accompanied by a certified check for one-tenth of the purchase price.

R. L. Pyatt, city clerk.

Elliott State Bank

Condensed Statement as Reported to State Auditor at Close of Business January 24th, 1916.

RESOURCES

Loans.....	\$ 689,272.53
Overdrafts.....	11,358.84
Banking house furniture, and fixtures..	32,500.00
Other real estate.....	150.00
Bonds and securities.....	49,466.71
Cash and exchange.....	256,689.76
	\$1,039,437.84

LIABILITIES

Capital.....	\$ 150,000.00
Undivided profits.....	16,143.86
Deposits.....	873,233.98
Dividends unpaid.....	60.00
	\$1,039,437.84

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WITH THE SICK.

Russel Gooch is detained at his home, 333 Madison street, by illness.

Mrs. Mary Jane Johnson of Chandierville, who has been a patient at Passavant hospital, has returned to her home. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Myrtle Johnson, R. N.

MORTUARY

Flinn.

Lester Sherwood, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Flinn, was born June 3, 1915. He departed this life January 27, 1916. He is survived by four sisters, Ethel, Verlah, Iona and Clare; seven brothers, Luther, Lee, Ora, Everett, Chester, Daniel and Herschel; his grandfather Flinn and grandmother Holmes; also a host of friends and relations.

VISITS, SPRINGFIELD.

J. Edgar Martin was in Springfield Thursday. While there he consulted with Commissioner Roy R. Reese at the city hall and discussed features of the health department.

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VANNIER CHINA STORE

CITY AND COUNTY

Bart Donaldson of Ramsey was a caller yesterday.

Robert Stewart of Prentice was a caller yesterday.

Charles B. Joy was in the city yesterday from Joy Prairie.

O. P. Fagan of Perry spent Thursday in the city on business.

Mrs. A. E. McDougall was in the city from Franklin yesterday.

H. L. Finkel of Lincoln was a sojourner in the city yesterday.

H. F. Barnes of Peoria was a sojourner in the city yesterday.

Walter Huston helped represent Arcadia in the city yesterday.

W. J. Young has gone to Winchester for a visit with his mother.

W. W. Crain of Urbana was a traveler to the city yesterday.

J. H. Long of Springfield spent Thursday in the city on business.

E. E. Garner of Chandlerville was a sojourner in the city yesterday.

Ernest Clark helped represent Litchfield in the city yesterday.

E. C. Stansfield of Litchfield was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Lloyd Sorrells of Murrayville made a visit to the city yesterday.

Jacob Adler of Mt. Vernon traveled to the city on business yesterday.

Daniel Kinney of Franklin made a pilgrimage to the city yesterday.

Miss Mary Hagel of New Berlin was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Rev. L. Hadaway of Chapin had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

G. B. Andre made a business trip to the capital of the state yesterday.

John Corlee of Springfield made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mayor W. R. Turnbull of Waverly made his city friends a visit yesterday.

L. H. James of Mattoon was transacting business in the city yesterday.

C. J. Patton of Monmouth was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

Leland Colton of Mattoon had business interests in the city yesterday.

Ora Ralston of Franklin was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

John Adams of Woodson was a transient caller in the city yesterday.

E. L. Clark of Litchfield was down to the city a few hours yesterday.

Albert Kunkle of the east part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

J. F. Peck of Lynaville was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. John Hall and daughter were city visitors yesterday from Meredosia.

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George Cutter of Meredosia was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Arthur Zachary of the vicinity of Island Grove visited yesterday in the city.

C. F. Ruprecht of Jerseyville was among the sojourners in the city yesterday.

W. J. Scharf of Peoria had occasion to make a trip to the city yesterday.

E. D. Misher of Granite City spent Thursday in the city on business.

Miss Tillie Richardson of Orleans was a caller yesterday on city friends.

Arthur Zachary of the east part of the county was in the city yesterday.

A. F. Berry of Nortoville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

W. E. Miller of Waverly was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

John Boddy helped represent the village of Markham in the city yesterday.

H. B. Corson of Bloomington was a traveler to the city on business yesterday.

J. A. Legg of Pontiac was interviewing Jacksonville business men yesterday.

Russell Smith of Milton was added to the list of transients in the city yesterday.

Edgar Hagerdeen of Meredosia was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. L. Pine of Bluffs was one of the shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

L. B. Perry of Kansas City was interviewing Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Amanda Seymour of Frank was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Newton Wilson of Sinclair was among the business men in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilding came up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

L. A. Noll of Quincy spent Thursday in the city attending to business matters.

Miss Alma Leak of Franklin enjoyed a visit yesterday with city friends.

Mrs. Theodore Lukeman of Pisgah was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

John Match of Murrayville was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

Dean Kohn of St. Louis was visiting yesterday with some Jacksonville friends.

Miss Althea Hall of Alexander was a visitor yesterday with city friends and relatives.

Miss Catherine Thompson of Alexander made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

William Settles of the east part of the county was a city business caller yesterday.

W. B. Miller of Monticello was looking after business matters in the city yesterday.

F. H. Moore of Springfield was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Charles Bunting of Decatur was among the transient visitors in the city yesterday.

W. A. Staffelbach of Beardstown was here Thursday looking after business matters.

John Glaser of the vicinity of Grace Chapel was a caller on city people yesterday.

Miss Annie Basse of New Berlin was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. W. R. Wane of the southeast part of the county was one of the city visitors yesterday.

Misses Mary and Agnes Hagel were representatives of Alexander in the city yesterday.

Emory Carter of the vicinity of Mt. Zion was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Raymond Groce of Beardstown was among the business visitors in the city Thursday.

Louis Perbix of the west part of the county was a caller on city friends yesterday.

H. G. Keplinger of Franklin visited with his brother financiers of the city yesterday.

C. J. Kinnam of Centralia was among those who made a trip to the city yesterday.

George M. Day of Jerseyville was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

Jesse Butler of the vicinity of Woodson was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Lawrence Fisher of the vicinity of Franklin was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Frank Huffaker of Kansas City is shaking hands with some of his many friends in this vicinity.

J. C. Weston and J. C. Magill of Murrayville were trading with local merchants yesterday.

Carl Martin of the northwest part of the county was a visitor with city business men yesterday.

Samuel T. Zachary of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Alexander McCormick of Springfield was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Bert Weis of Alexander was one of the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Stephen McDonnell of Joy Prairie was added to the transient population of the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. A. Diawickie of Litchfield was among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Joseph Hennel of the vicinity of Chapin was attending to various matters in the city yesterday.

Miss Edith Clark of Franklin has arrived in the city for an extended visit with Mrs. Thomas Doyle.

Senator Walter I. Manney and Jefferson Orr of Mt. Sterling were in the city Thursday on business.

Mrs. Clarence Fishback of St. Louis is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Wood on West College street.

Dr. L. C. Tiffany of Springfield was in the city yesterday enroute to Franklin to attend to business matters.

Wayne Diawickie of the northwest part of the county was among the business men in the city yesterday.

Sinclair Russel has gone to Champaign for a visit of a few days before returning to his home in Maple, North Dakota.

Leo Lockhart and sister, Miss Bridge, are down from Litchfield for a visit with their sister, Mrs. John Wagner, and family.

Julius Myers of the firm of Myers Brothers, Springfield, was in the city yesterday on business connected with his great clothing house.

James McCormick of the southeast part of the county visited his father, W. D. McCormick, who is ill at his home on Grove street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Stice and family of Santa Anna, Calif. arrived in the city yesterday for a several months' visit with relatives and friends.

Peter Bacopolis has taken a position with Basil Genetos, proprietor of the Jacksonville Candy company. The young gentleman was formerly proprietor of the Star Lunch room, but sold out and has roamed about the world some since. At Decatur he married and decided finally to settle down in this city and has a pleasant home on Hardin avenue.

ROUT VS. LINCOLN COLLEGE tonight, 7:45. Biggest game of year.

MISS MINNIE BROWN TO WED STEPHEN GUINAN

Well Known Young People to Marry February 16th — Funerals of George Carlson and Riggs Child Held—Other Scott County Items.

Winchester, Feb. 3.—Misses Katherine Lyons and Nellie Lashmet delightfully entertained thirty young ladies, members of the C. P. club, at the home of Miss Lashmet yesterday afternoon, in honor of Miss Minnie Brown, who will wed Mr. Stephen Guinan of Alsey. The ceremony will take place Feb. 16.

After the guests arrived, little Loretta Lashmet entered the room carrying a large key which she presented to Miss Brown, inviting her to the dining room to unlock a large red box in the shape of a heart, in which were concealed many beautiful gifts.

Progressive hearts and contests were indulged in for some time and a delightful luncheon was served, the colors, pink and white, being used in the decorations and refreshments. In cutting the cake in charge of Miss Brown, Miss Bess Doyle secured the ring, Miss Grace Lashmet, the coin and Miss Maloney the thimble.

Funeral of Mr. Carlton. The funeral of George W. Carlton was held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from the Christian church in charge of Rev. G. E. Prewitt. The church was filled with relatives and friends of the family. Music was furnished by the church choir and the flowers were in charge of Misses Fred Markkille, Miss Mabel Wilson, the Misses Haskins. Among the floral offerings was a beautiful pillow from the Knights of Pythias lodge, of which the deceased was a member.

Burial was made in the Winchester cemetery and the bearers were Messrs. Douglas Campbell, W. S. Roosa, John Lashmet, Edward Rohrig, George Thomas and Hardin Waik.

Funeral of Sarah Riggs. Funeral services were held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock for Sarah Elizabeth Riggs, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Riggs. The home was filled with many sorrowing relatives and friends. The ladies of the M. E. church choir furnished music and the flowers were cared for by Misses Julia Hainsfurther, Olga Heironymous and Madeline Hainsfurther.

Burial was made in the Winchester cemetery and the bearers were Robert Frost, Everett Gibbs, James Coultas and Paul Mason.

Personal Mention. Miss Mary Woodall was a passenger for Jacksonville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Coates have arrived home from an extended visit in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore of Sidney, Mont., arrived here Wednesday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Priest. They have been visiting in the south and east.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haskins of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Haskins of Jacksonville were called here by the death of George W. Carlton.

In mentioning in yesterday's Journal relative to the change of the D. D. Watt company it should have stated that John Leib is one of the members of the firm. He has been with the company for several years.

Quinton W. Wallace whose home is in Salt Lake City, is spending the week with his cousin, George Hogan and family. Mr. Wallace is a student at Ames college in Iowa.

ROUT VS. LINCOLN COLLEGE tonight, 7:45. Liberty Hall

BEAUTIFUL CASE.

Clarence L. Depew placed in his north side drug store yesterday two beautiful cases, hard wood, natural finish and made in the most artistic manner. They came from the mills of the Crawford Lumber company of this city and most certainly speak well for the skill and ability of the management of that concern.

MISS LUCILE OLINGER HAS GOOD POSITION.

Miss Lucile Olinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Olinger, who has been studying music in a Chicago conservatory, has signed a contract as pianist with a company of ten people giving daily concerts in one of Milwaukee's biggest hotels, receiving a salary above \$100 per month.—Franklin Times.

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MURRAYVILLE STILL DICKERING ABOUT LIGHTS FOR VILLAGE

Board Meeting Held Last Night Attended by Public Service Representative—Board to Give J. Millard a Chance.

A meeting of the village board of Murrayville was held last night and further talk was indulged in relative to electric lights for the town. A representative of the Public Service Utility company was present and gave some additional facts as to what the company expected to do for Murrayville if satisfactory arrangements could be made. He said that they expect to connect their lines from Auburn to Roodhouse and it would extend up this way. The company expected to furnish lights for Waverly and Franklin and it would be easy access to Murrayville.

The village board at present is under obligation to J. Millard, who conducts a garage at Murrayville. Mr. Millard has been figuring with a company relative to lights. According to the ruling of the public utilities commission he can not erect a plant by himself, it being necessary to form a stock company with an election of officers. This is what Mr. Millard has been trying to do, altho he finds the proposition a big one. The board decided to defer further action until Mr. Millard was given a chance.

WILL MEET AT CHURCH. The Women's Missionary society of Central Christian church will meet this afternoon at 2:45 o'clock in the church parlors. Leader, Mrs. Clarence Rice.

THE BIRTH RECORD

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson, three miles southeast of the city, Thursday, a son.

Who Is It?



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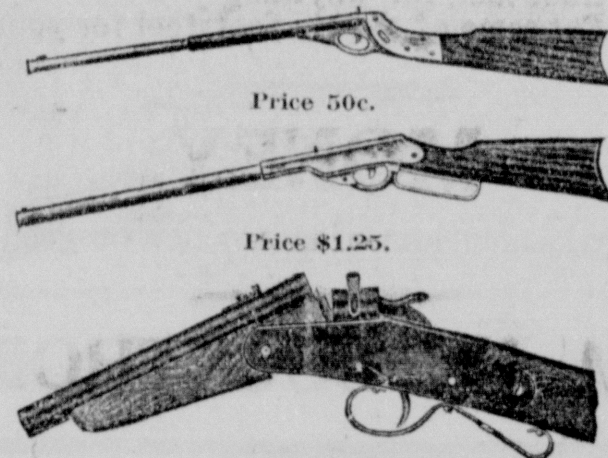
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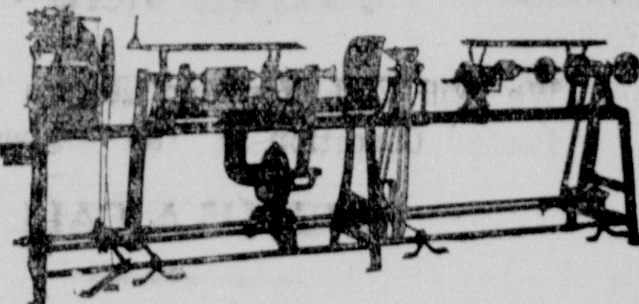
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Thursday, Feb. 17, 1916,

commencing at 12 o'clock (noon) the following herd of choice dairy cows.

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1 Pure Bred 2-year-old Holstein Bull.

The above cattle comprise the late A. P. Grout Dairy Herd and are as choice a lot of cows as will be found in central Illinois.

There will also be sold at this sale three Hinman Milking Outfits and an outfit of milking and shipping cans.

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1 lb. Package Currants, 2 for	25c
10c Package Currants, 3 for	25c
Snider's Tomato Soup, 2 for	15c
Don't fail to try our Coffee, at per lb.	15c
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WILSON IS SPEEDING BACK TO WASHINGTON

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In touch with developments in the foreign situation since he left Washington. A final settlement of the Lusitania case is expected soon after the president arrives in Washington. He is determined that Germany make full disavowal and reparation and it is understood he will be satisfied with nothing less. What attitude Germany has taken or will take toward the last suggestion sent forward by Count Von Bernstorff could not be learned on the president's special tonight.

Makes Two Speeches in St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—President Wilson made two speeches here today before starting for Washington after his swing thru the middle west. His first talk was before a large audience at a breakfast given in his honor by the Business Men's club, and following that he went immediately to the Coliseum, where he spoke before a crowd of 16,000 persons. An overflow of 30,000 people on the outside had failed to gain admission to the hall. A feature of the speech at the Coliseum was when the president asserted that he believed the "navy of the United States should be unconquerable."

This remark brought the huge crowd to its feet with cheers and the crowd cheered again when Mr. Wilson added "that the navy should be the greatest in the world."

The president told how the act of one submarine commander abroad might set the world afire, although the commanders of submarines have instructions for the most part consistent with the law of nations.

"One reckless commander of a submarine," he said, "choosing to put his private interpretation upon what this government wishes him to do might set the world afire."

"There are cargoes of wheat on the seas," he continued, "there are cargoes of manufactured articles on the seas and everyone of these cargoes may be the point of ignition, because every cargo comes into the field of fire, come where there are flames which no man can control. I know the spirit of America to be this: We respect other nations and absolutely respect their rights so long as they respect our rights."

KEEP PRIZE CREW ABOARD THE APPAM

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on board who have escaped detection by being in civilian attire. Some of them I have heard changed their clothing when they saw we were caught."

Spent Three Days on Raider.
The sailor spent three days aboard the raider and he is convinced that she is a merchantman overhauled.

While the sailor was talking, Collector Hamilton, German Vice Consul Von Schulling and others who had been participating in a conference with Lieutenant Berge, appeared on the main saloon deck.

A boat whistled and many passengers thought the time of their deliverance from the Appam was at hand. From far down in the bottom of the ship floated up a patch of "It's a Long Way to Tipperary," and then came "Home, Sweet Home," followed with shouts and laughter. A few minutes later the tug drew alongside and while passengers crowded the rail she carried the official party away. It was several hours later when the steamer finally began transferring the prisoners ashore to board a ship for New York.

Collector Hamilton boarded the liner with Prince Hatzfeldt of the German embassy at Washington and renewed his request of yesterday for the release of all British citizens. He presented the following official memorandum from the state department:

Orders Release of Prisoners.
"You will release from the steamship Appam all those persons who desire to be released and who came in on the ship, except the prize officer and prize crew, including any persons who have been incorporated into such prize crew or acted as a part of said prize crew in the navigation of the ship."

Lieutenant Berge of the prize crew asked whether that was the decision of the state department and when told it was acquiesced.

Trouble threatened for a time when the collector discussed the handling of the baggage of the prize's prisoners and the mail aboard the vessel. The German commander insisted upon having a thorough inspection by his own men of everything carried off the ship. Mr. Hamilton announced that the United States government would attend to that matter.

The lieutenant said he was afraid the passengers might carry off souvenirs. He insisted that the Appam now was a German ship and that he was in full command. Mr. Hamilton replied that Germany had nothing to do with the administration of American customs laws and when five uniformed inspectors came alongside the German officer offered no further objection.

To Keep Ship at Anchor.
Lieutenant Berge has been instructed by Hamilton to keep his ship at anchor in her present position off this port, and to permit no one to go ashore except orderly carrying mail or officers detailed to arrange for the purchase of food supplies.

The commander himself is at liberty to leave the ship only for the purpose of visiting the customs house on official business. He is at liberty to load such stores as may be necessary.

NELSON AND WOLGAST TO FIGHT
La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 3.—Batting Nelson and Ad Wolgast will fight at Appleton, Feb. 22, the sixth anniversary of the defeat of Nelson by Wolgast for the lightweight championship, according to announcement today by the La Crosse and Appleton boxing clubs.

BOMB EXPLOSION IS SAID TO HAVE CAUSED FIRE

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a mass of flame. One of the messengers told me that all the members had escaped from the chamber."

Make Spectacular Rescues.
Some of the most spectacular rescues were made in the southwest wing of the building. There were many employees in the restaurant at the time and the lower corridors filled with smoke so quickly that they were unable to get down stairs. They made their way along the southwest corner and reached the windows looking down on the front. They were soon noticed there and from hundreds arose the cry "don't jump; ladders are coming."

General Sir Ham Hughes, minister of militia was in the crowd at this point and helped in the work of rescue. General Hughes ordered out the 77th Overseas regiment, which is completing training in Ottawa. The soldiers lined the grounds and controlled the crowd.

A few minutes after the fire broke out, it was found that the press room was cut off. There were several correspondents there and they were compelled to climb to safety down ladders which men raised to the windows. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the former premier, was at home when the fire broke out. He witnessed from his motor car the destruction of the building in which he had fought many political battles.

Belle's Pardee Safe.
Grand Rapids, Feb. 3.—Dr. J. A. McDonald, editor of the Toronto Globe, when shown despatches stating it was feared Frederick Pardee, the Liberal whip, may have lost his life in the parliament building at Ottawa, said:

"There need be no fears for Mr. Pardee's safety. He came with me to Sarnia, Ontario this morning. He could not have returned to Ottawa in time for tonight's session."

AGREE UPON COMPROMISE LIST OF DELEGATES TO CONVENTION

Thompson-Lowden and Denen-West
Factions of the Republican Party
Are Said to Have Gotten Together.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—The Thompson-Lowden and the Denen-West factions of the Republican party are said to have gotten together to an extent here today in preparation for the meeting here tomorrow of the Republican state central committee. A compromise list of delegates at large to the national convention was agreed upon tonight and will go before the committee tomorrow for recommendation to the voters at the April presidential primaries.

The compromise is particularly apparent in the appearance on the delegate list of the names of the chief rivals for national committee—Roy O. West, the incumbent, and Mayor Thompson, who aspires to the position.

The line-up is said to have the approval of Senator Sherman, it was said, to presage a solid delegation for the senator as the Illinois candidate at the national convention. Others on the slate for delegates at large were William J. Cainoun, Chicago; Medill McCormick, Chicago; William A. Rodenberg, East St. Louis; William B. McKinley, Champaign; Garrett DeF. Kinney, Peoria, and Isaac N. Evans, Milledgeville. A district slate also was agreed upon.

WANTS APPEAL RESTORED.

New York, Feb. 3.—Basing his action upon the contention that the supreme court of the United States has failed to decide whether a congressman is a federal officer within the meaning of the statute under which he was sentenced to a year's term in the federal prison at Atlanta for impersonating former Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, a petition was filed today by David Lamar in the United States circuit court of appeals to have his appeal from conviction restored to the calendar of that court.

PASS CLARK'S RESOLUTION

Washington, Feb. 3.—Late today the house passed Speaker Clark's resolution for a new standing committee to handle legislation relating to flood control. Republican Leader Mann endorsed the resolution and Speaker Clark taking the floor in its defense declared its sole purpose was to investigate the greatest economic problem of the next generation and to expedite the work of the house.

REPORT ILLINOISAN WOUNDED
Ottawa, Feb. 3.—Frederick E. Johnson of Rockford, Ill., is reported wounded in the casualty list of the Canadian overseas forces given out by the military department tonight.

A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT

Mr. Ford Owner! Can you tell me why the automobile concerns are so anxious to take your Ford car in on a trade? If you can't, and will come in, I will tell you. But as the roads are rough just now, I will explain thru the columns of the papers. IT IS BECAUSE THE KNOW THEY CAN SELL YOUR FORD ANY HOUR IN THE DAY, when they have never been able to sell their car at all, and after you get their car on your hands you are elected to keep it, whether you are suited or not.

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From pyorrhea come by far the greater part of all tooth troubles. Unless treated and checked, it will result not only in the shrinking and malformation of your gums and of the bony structure into which your teeth are set, but in the loss of the teeth themselves.

A specific for pyorrhea has been discovered recently by dental science, and is now offered for daily treatment in Senreco Tooth Paste. Senreco combats the germ of the disease. Its regular use insures your teeth against the attack or further progress of pyorrhea.

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Start the Senreco treatment before pyorrhea grips you for good. Details in folder with every tube. A two-ounce tube for 25c is sufficient for 6 weeks' daily treatment. Get Senreco of your druggist today; or send 4c in stamps or coin for sample tube and folder. Address The Sentinel Remedies Company 593 Union Central Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.



Coffee! Coffee! Coffee!

On last Saturday a Coffee Campaign was begun and was so successful we have decided to continue it. Hundreds of pounds were sold and that means many pleased customers. Here comes in our motto LIVE AND LET LIVE. The story is told to you in the bargains below. Cash talks louder than words.

18 lbs. Sugar for \$1 with a purchase of any 2 lbs. of this great Coffee. Price of Coffee, 23c lb.

11 bars Swift's Pride Soap 25c with a purchase of only 1 lb. of this great Coffee. Coffee 23c lb. Send the children—or come in and get this big Bargain—can't last.

83c Buys a Sack of Western Queen Flour, try it - 83c

Snappy Ginger Snaps, go at the low price of.....9c lb
Bulk Rolled Oats, very best and fine, go at.....4c lb
15c Sunmaid Seeded Raisins, choice and big.....11c pkg
10c Corn Flakes, the children like them, go at.....8c pkg

11 bars Swift's Pride Soap 25c with a purchase of 1 lb. of Peaberry Coffee. This is new and goes at 21c lb. This Coffee is a 25c grade. Send the children or come in. This is a snap.

Popcorn shelled once more, "It pops," per lb only.....5c

Many bargains will be on sale on CORN, PEAS, BEANS, PRUNES, APRICOTS—in fact dozens of things. Come in and pick them up. It will be a wise thing for you to place your order Friday or early Saturday morning owing to the fact that the streets are in bad condition. All efforts will be made to deliver promptly, but orders coming late Saturday will hold until Monday. Don't be afraid to send the children—16 ounces to the pound to all.

About Feb. 10th we expect to have the Boxell stock moved into our China Store and both businesses will be conducted under the firm name below. We expect to have a grand opening soon after the consolidation and re-decoration. A coffee demonstration will be put on under a coffee expert. Will also redeem all premiums given out by Boxell's.

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SENTIMENT STRONG FOR FARM ADVISOR

LISTS TO BE CIRCULATED FOR
SIGNATURES AT ONCE.

Hope is That Advisor Can be Secured for Work This Year—Success of Movement Elsewhere is Told at Court House Meeting—15,000 Acres Already Pledged.

Owners of 15,000 acres of Morgan county land have expressed their desire to secure a farm advisor for this county. Incidentally the landowners have expressed their willingness to pay an assessment of 3c an acre per year for a period of three years to defray the expenses of maintaining an advisor and to conduct the crop improvement work in the county. This list is merely a start, but judged by the enthusiastic spirit which prevailed at the meeting of farmers and landowners at the court house Thursday, to discuss the subject, it will not be long until sufficient acreage has been secured to make certain that a farm advisor will be employed.

It was made very clear at the meeting Thursday that for the success of the movement the certainty of funds to pay the salary and expenses of the advisor is not all that is necessary. The movement will not amount to much unless several hundred farmers co-operate and the list gradually increases. Still another point was made clear and that is that the services of a farm advisor will not be available exclusively for those who subscribe to the movement but must be at the disposal of every farmer in the county. This will be true first because if an advisor is secured, part of the fund will come from the national government, part from the county and part from the city. And there is the added fact that experience has proven that only good results are attained when an advisor's services are available for all.

All Farm Plans.

There were fifty or sixty farmers in attendance and the sentiment was uniformly in favor of the advisor movement and when adjournment was taken it was with the understanding that officers of the association and members of the executive committee will at once busy themselves with the circulation of petitions to secure the signatures of farmers who are ready to co-operate in the movement and help pay the expenses. If a reasonable number join the effort the expense for each one will be a comparatively few dollars. In addition to the blanks circulated, others are to be left at all the banks in the county and at the newspaper offices, where any farmer who has not been solicited may affix his signature. It was decided that another meeting of the Farmers' Club will be held in two weeks and at that time it is the hope that a prominent farmer from some county where an advisor has been at work for several months may be secured and make a talk explaining what the advisor has done for his county.

Charles S. Black presided at the meeting Thursday and after he had called for order, stated that the meeting was for the purpose of laying plans for the securing of an advisor if the majority were in favor, and that such a plan would be simply carrying out the ideas expressed at the last meeting of the Farmers' Club in the spring of 1915. It had been impossible to proceed far with the movement at that time because the season so seriously interfered with farm work. Mr. Black said that in those counties where advisors had been employed for some time that reports were uniformly of a favorable kind.

Among those who spoke were F. J. Heinl, A. C. Rice, J. A. Groves, Capt. John E. Wright, A. M. Masters, W. E. Hall, H. S. Stevenson, G. A. Leach, C. A. Moore, D. E. Kennedy, George W. Moore, R. S. Wood, C. D. Irlam, H. E. Kitchner, W. H. Cocking, Samuel Butler, Homer Ransom, T. E. Reaugh, Stansfield Baldwin, Howard Stevenson, C. W. Cully, A. C. Reid, Thomas Allen, Claude Kinnett, O. B. Heinl, H. H. Richardson and Walter Rice.

Some Land and Crop Figures. Mr. Heinl, who has given the subject particular investigation, was asked to give some statement of the procedure necessary to secure an advisor and to give some facts about the county. The figures quoted are from Mr. Heinl's statement. In this county there are 352,946 acres of farm land, of which 315,461 acres are considered improved land. The average acreage in corn is 128,348; wheat, 26,593; oats, 29,205; meadow, 20,951; potatoes, 1,070; rye, 352, and the value of these crops estimating corn at 50c, wheat at 80c, oats at 30c, rye at 60 and hay at \$10 a ton, is annually \$4,169,922.

Estimating the cost for a farm advisor and the operation of a crop association at \$6,000, an increased net profit of 3c per acre on the crops already mentioned would defray the expense. Estimating the cost again at \$6,000, 3c an acre on 120,000 acres would pay the total cost. If \$1,200 were secured from the national government in accordance with the Lever bill, this would be reduced to 4c an acre. If county aid to the extent of \$1,200 were given the cost would be reduced to 3c an acre, and if another \$1,200 were contributed by commercial interests the cost would be reduced still further to 2c an acre.

The increase in crops would be only one of a number of advantages. It is a fact too well known that farmers often buy seed which is much below the desirable standard. For years seed which does not meet the government regulations abroad has been shipped to the United States

and sold to our farmers here, while pure seed raised here has been sent abroad. The Michigan agricultural college conducted a series of experiments showing how great quantities of seed are impure. In 122 samples of clover the seed of 47 different weeds were found, and in 450 samples there were 74 kinds of seed found, most of them previously unknown to the authorities.

Co-operative Effort Helps. A. C. Rice said that he had visited many counties where advisors are at work and that reports were uniformly favorable. He thought that co-operative effort among the farmers would prove very beneficial.

John A. Groves told something of the work of advisors in foreign countries. Capt. John E. Wright said that he had retired from active farming but he knew that the methods once used would not do now and that an advisor would be a very valuable asset to the farming community.

A. M. Masters has investigated the matter quite a good deal and was enthusiastically in favor of securing an advisor. He spoke of various lines of work in which a crop improvement association would be beneficial and said that such an association would mean organization for the farmers, who are unorganized today while merchants, bankers and all industrial workers are organized. W. E. Hall spoke of the advantage there is in field demonstrations in connection with the farm advisor movement. H. S. Stevenson and G. A. Leach spoke briefly in a favorable way and C. A. Moore emphasized the fact that at least five to eight hundred farmers must join in the movement if it were made a success.

George W. Moore said he had been farming for seventy three years and did not know much about the farm advisor movement but thought it worthy of consideration. R. S. Wood was ready to aid but wanted to know some details of the plan. C. D. Irlam said that he was firm in the belief that an advisor's services must be at the disposal of every farmer. H. E. Kitchner said an advisor would help the farmers in the ability to figure cost and that was what now interferes with the progress of some farmers. W. H. Cocking told of some of the methods of co-operative buying used by farm advisors and said that on limestone this sometimes saved 25c a ton.

Weeds in Seed.

Samuel Butler and Homer Ransom spoke in favor of the plan and T. E. Reaugh told of visiting experimental stations in Montana and North Dakota where farm advisors were at work. Stansfield Baldwin related some of his recent experiences in buying grass seed which had too many "strangers" in it, and Howard Stevenson said that the first cost of an advisor might seem excessive but the work would certainly pay.

Others who spoke voluntarily or were called on were C. W. Cully, A. C. Reid, Thomas Allen, Claude Kinnett, O. B. Heinl, H. H. Richardson and Walter Rice. The last speaker said it should be understood that there would be no expense to farmers for services rendered by the advisors other than the salary—that is, that an advisor makes no charge for special visits to a farm. On motion of A. C. Rice and a second by A. M. Masters it was decided that immediate effort should be made to secure enough acreage to make possible the employment of an advisor for this year. To meet the government requirements a man employed as an advisor must have university agricultural training or its equivalent, a certain amount of practical experience and must be able to pass government tests. The meeting was of a very business like character and the indications are that sufficient acreage will be secured speedily to make the advisor movement effective this year.

BURLINGTON'S BIG COAL BUSINESS.

An idea of the big coal business done by the C. & B. Q. will appear from the following taken from the Beardstown Star:

"Breaking all records of the Beardstown division of the Burlington, sixteen trains of coal were hauled over this branch one day recently. Beginning early in the morning there was a constant movement of coal trains and at the close of the day when the business was summed up it was found that 1,023 cars carrying 67,700 tons of coal had been moved northward.

"The nearest approach to this excellent business was a short time ago when 58,000 tons of coal were handled. In order to take care of the increasing business which promises to continue for some time the railroad departments have reinforced with extra men. The number of trainmen has been greatly enlarged and several extra gangs have been added.

ORVILLE CRUM WILL RETIRE FROM FARM LIFE.

Orville Crum, one of the prominent young farmers of the Liberty neighborhood, will soon retire from farming and will take up the agency for the Ford automobile in Liberty. Mr. Crum has been farming on the farm of his father, M. M. Crum, one-half mile from Liberty. He expects to have a public sale Feb. 15 and will dispose of his stock and farming implements. Mr. Crum will conduct the Ford agency thru the agency of C. N. Priest of this city and expects to be ready for business in the early spring. He will reside in Liberty.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John Flynn to Thomas Walsh, warranty deed to lots 22, 23, 24, 26 and 27, Flynn's sub-division of 31-4-9, \$240.
Emma Broadrick to Harriet A. Godell, warranty deed to part of lot 28, Chandler's addition to Jacksonville, \$1,519.

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For sale by Armstrong's Drug Store and all other reliable druggists.

TRYING TO PROVE SAM DAVIS CONVICTED SPY WAS NOT GUILTY

Prof. J. H. Rayhill has received a letter from Matt Ring, now in Missouri, in which the writer gives some news and gossip, and among other things enclosed a clipping from the National Tribune, which says they are trying to prove that Sam Davis, Confederate spy, who was taken and shot at Nashville, was not really guilty.

Prof. Rayhill, a gallant soldier of the Union army, assisted in the capture of Davis and says the man was certainly justly treated as a spy and was hanged accordingly. Prof. Rayhill says the Union officer in command offered Davis his liberty if he would tell the name of the Union officer who was guilty of aiding in the work of Davis spying on the Union army, but the prisoner utterly refused and went to the gallows rather than betray a friend.

Prof. Rayhill says it was a sad sight which he saw, Davis seated in a wagon, astride his coffin, on his way to execution. The captor bade the prisoner good-bye and prayed for mercy on his soul and soon the scene was ended.

AIR BRAKE INVENTOR MAY GET MILLIONS.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—For the use of his patent on an air-brake for electric railway cars by the Westinghouse Electric company of Pittsburgh, N. A. Christensen of Milwaukee will probably receive two millions of dollars this month. The Court of Appeals of the United States has confirmed the judgment of the district court and ordered the Westinghouse company to pay damages and profits. A stay of judgment was secured, and this expires tomorrow. The Westinghouse people secured a stay of judgment in order to make application to the United States Supreme Court for a writ of certiorari.

Christensen alleged that he had not been paid for the use of his patent in the suit which was tried in the U. S. District Court in Milwaukee two years ago. He won the suit and won on appeal, and he is awaiting his money.

SET CONVENTION DATE.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 2.—Democratic leaders of Iowa today set May 10th as the date for the state convention at which delegates to the party's convention at which a platform Clinton as the location. The state convention at which a platform in order to make application to the United States Supreme Court for a writ of certiorari.

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TO PUT IN TILE FLOOR.

Fifteen hundred square feet of tile floor is to be put in the new confectionery store in Marble front, the contract having been closed yesterday according to the statement of one of the lessees.

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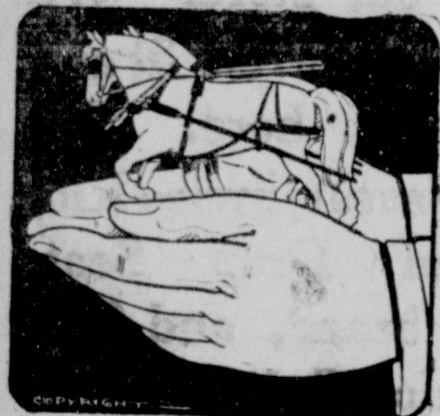


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FEEDING HOGS FOR PROFIT

By JOHN M. EVVARD

Assistant chief in Animal Husbandry Iowa Experiment Station.
(Courtesy Morris & Co.)

(Continued from Wednesday)

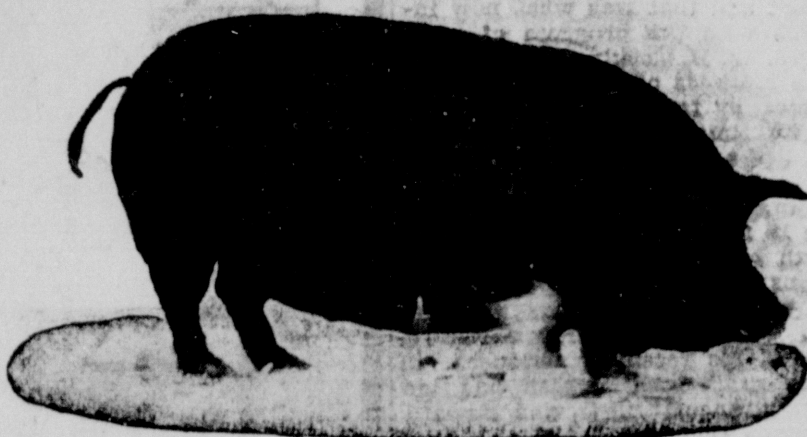
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12. No poisonous principle or material in it, such as cotton seed meal has, making it an unsafe feed. It must not carry disease as tuberculosis infected skim-milk, buttermilk, or cholera laden tankage from a careless plant. Oil meal sometimes causes nutritive failure because of something contained within it, or possibly because of some deficiency. It is a common complaint that oil meal made from the flax seed will in some cases cause abortion and stiffness in sows. This matter is being investigated at the Iowa station at the present time, where trouble as mentioned has been recently experienced. Considerable old meal has been fed at this station in previous years without any such unfavorable results, and the trouble may eventually be traced to a least unexpected source. Particularly enough where meat product is added with linseed oil meal trouble has been avoided, in truth it has not appeared. The tankage-oil meal combination has proven a good one.

13. Should contain vitamins, or life-giving substances. To explain, it has been found that polished rice will cause polyneuritis when fed as the lone feed to pigeons or even pigs. People also experience the same trouble if an excessive portion of the diet is made up of polished rice. Unpolished rice will not cause the trouble, the protective vitamins and polishing process. The vitamin or peculiar life-giving nutritive substance has been partially isolated, and small doses of the isolated mixture of materials, almost too small to be considered of any special significance, suffice on being fed to the not too long diseased animal, to restore health. It is supposed that this, or better perhaps, these very essential substances have a very important function in administering to the needs of the nervous system. Some materials which contain this protective substance are maize, barley, heart muscle, oats, some vegetables, milk, and others. It would be well if all of the feeds fed contained these vitamins in order to play safe with the ration; but we will await more advanced researches on this very interesting theme. The vitamin has been facetiously referred to as the "Soul of a food."

14. A steady market in all hog sections. The material should be reasonable in price (considering what you get) and yet plentiful in addition. Skim-milk is a very good supplement, but is not ordinarily purchasable, and furthermore is limited in quantity. Soy beans are also a fairly good supplement, but they command so high a price for seed that it is hardly economical ordinarily to use them with our grains. Linseed oil meal and wheat middlings are commercial commodities, as is tankage nowadays.

product. The high protein meat products have sufficient mineral nutrients for all practical purposes, in truth it would seem that the low protein products run too high in bone ash especially for best returns. Tankage is high in protein of the best quality, being comparatively rich in tryptophane, lysine and all of those amino-acids in which corn is somewhat deficient. Tankage is high in mineral nutrients, containing much of the bone forming calcium phosphate. Tankage has an alkaline or sweetening ash. Tankage is comparatively rich in a fair quality of fat, being excellent in quantity, and necessarily quality, by only one other practical hog supplement, namely soy beans. The animal fat in tankage should be more completely digested than that from vegetable sources, largely because it is not surrounded by cellulose walls. Furthermore, this animal fat comes more nearly meeting the demands of the organism than does the vegetable fat, which has a combination of fatty acids different from meat fat in its general makeup. Hogs relish tankage largely because it is a meat product, all swine being naturally meat eaters. There is very, very little if any carbohydrate in tankage. Tankage is concentrated in charac-



Ate Tankage and weighed 405 pounds when 247 days of age.

This sow's feeds were individually self-fed according to the "Iowa System"—that is, she fed herself on corn, meat meal tankage, wheat middlings, whole oats, limestone. This sow's name is I. S. C. No. 323S, bred and fed by the Iowa State College, Animal Husbandry Section.

TABLE I
SUPPLEMENT TO COMMON FARM GRAINS.
Feed Constituents in a Hundred Pounds.
(Representative Averages.)

Feeding Material.	Water	Protein (crude)	Carbohydrates (N. F. Extract, Fiber)	Fat (Ether Extract)	Carbohydrate Equivalent*	Mineral Matter	Pounds of Carbohydrate Equivalent for every pound of Protein
Tankage or meat meal, 60 per cent protein, feeding grade.	7.0	61.0	7.1	10.0	28.0	15.0	.48
Skim-milk	90.5	3.6	5.1	0.1	5.3	0.8	1.47
Buttermilk	99.4	3.6	5.0	0.2	5.4	0.8	1.50
Linseed oil meal (Old Process)	10.0	33.0	41.0	7.0	59.4	6.0	1.80
Soy bean meal	10.0	33.0	35.0	17.0	72.4	5.0	2.19
Middlings, wheat	12.3	15.5	63.0	5.1	74.2	4.1	4.79
Bran, wheat	12.0	16.0	62.2	4.0	71.0	5.8	4.44
Blood meal	7.0	87.0	2.3	.50	3.4	2.2	.05
Oats	12.0	11.5	68.0	5.0	79.0	3.5	6.87
Alfalfa hay	13.6	15.0	63.0	2.0	67.4	7.0	4.49
Clover hay	13.0	12.0	64.5	3.5	72.2	7.0	6.02
Gluten meal	8.0	41.6	47.5	2.4	51.9	1.5	1.27
Peas, Canadian field	14.0	24.0	58.5	1.0	60.7	2.5	2.53
Cottonseed meal	8.0	41.0	38.0	8.0	56.6	5.0	1.38

SOME FARM GRAINS NEEDING SUPPLEMENT

Corn (maize)	14.0	10.2	79.0	4.3	79.5	1.5	7.79
Barley	12.0	11.5	72.0	2.0	76.4	2.5	6.64
Wheat	11.3	11.0	73.0	2.0	77.4	1.8	6.50
Rye	11.8	11.4	73.0	1.8	77.0	2.0	6.75
Sorghum seed	13.0	9.3	72.0	3.7	81.1	2.0	8.72
Kafir corn	12.0	10.0	73.2	3.2	80.2	1.6	8.02
Milo maize	12.0	10.2	72.8	3.0	79.4	2.0	7.78

*Carbohydrates Equivalent equals carbohydrates plus 2.2 times the fats. The fats are considered 2.2 times as effective as the carbohydrates

Some Topics of the Farm

SUDAN GRASS

Homer Ranson, who is one of the progressive young farmers of Morgan county, recently wrote to the University of Illinois for some information relative to Sudan grass and to soy beans. In reply to his inquiry the following information was received relative to Sudan grass. The facts about soy beans will be presented at another time.

Sudan grass, an annual forage plant closely related to the cultivated sorghums, was first introduced into the United States in 1909. It is probably a native of Egypt. Under favorable conditions it grows to the height of 8 to 10 feet, and when seeded thickly, grows 4 to 5 feet high. It will serve its greatest usefulness, probably, in the semi-arid districts of the United States, where no perennial grass, thus far, has been found suited to the conditions there. From the present outlook, this grass will prove to be of service to the farmers of Illinois and other states located in the humid district of the United States.

The Plant and the Seed.

Sudan grass in general appearance, resembles Johnson grass, which is a serious pest in the southern states, but Johnson grass is a perennial and spreads by means of vigorous underground rootstocks. Sudan grass does not have these rootstocks, therefore is not a pest like Johnson grass.

The seed of the two plants are also much alike, but close examination will reveal the fact that Sudan grass seed is larger and more plump. For Illinois, northern grown seed is preferable to southern grown seed, because it is less likely to be adulterated with Johnson grass seed. It seems probable that Johnson grass may mature seed nearly as far north as will Sudan grass, so it is a good policy to watch the northern seed to see that no adulteration creeps in. The price of Sudan grass seed has been high and will continue to be so until the supply is increased. It is thought that in two or three years the seed will not be much higher than good millet seed.

Growing the Crop.

For Illinois conditions, probably the best hay will be obtained by drilling the seed in rows 8 inches apart at the rate of about 25 pounds

per acre. Where the land is weedy, the seed should be sown in rows 24 inches apart, and cultivated. This method will require about 5 pounds of seed per acre. For seed production, the seed should be put in at the rate of about 3 pounds per acre. The seed should not be covered deeper than one inch, and the sowing should not be done until the ground is thoroughly warm, or a little later than corn is planted. Because of its tendency to stool heavily, large yields may be obtained from light seedings per acre, but the hay will be coarser than where the seed is drilled "solid". An ordinary grain drill is the best tool to use for seeding. Ordinary corn implements may be used in the cultivation of the crop.

Harvesting.

When the heads are in full bloom, the grass should be cut for hay. Earlier cuttings will allow more time for the growth of the succeeding crop. The grain binder may be used for harvesting, especially if it is grown in rows and for seed. It is easily cured and can be mowed away after a few days curing. An ordinary thresher may be used to thresh the seed.

Yield and Feeding Value.

From one to three cutting per acre can be obtained, depending upon the soil and other conditions, making a final yield of one to two tons of hay, and five to thirty bushels of seed per acre. Six tons of hay and twelve bushels of seed would represent about what one could expect under Illinois conditions.

It is equal to timothy hay in chemical composition, and no doubt, in feeding value, as stock eat it readily, it having a sort of sweetish taste. The crop may be used as a soiling and silage crop. If the plant is stunted for any cause during its growth, prussic acid is likely to develop, and cause the death of stock eating it.

Its palatability and feeding value may be increased by drilling at the rate of two pecks per acre a tall variety of soy beans with it. In this case, about twenty pounds of Sudan grass seed should be used.

Insects and Smuts.

Chinch bugs will injure the grass to a large extent where they make inroads on it. Sorghum grain smut and sorghum blight may also damage the crop to considerable extent.

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WANTED—Men learn barber trade. Free work beginning. Pay finishing. More experience one month than shop apprentice one year. Accommodations for country applicants. Write, Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 2-4-6t

HELP WANTED
WANTED—Girls at McCarthy-Gel-eris, 113 E. North. 1-15-tf

WANTED—Two men to harvest ice. Oak Lawn Sanitarium. 2-4-tf

WANTED—Reliable woman for general housework. Ill. phone 825. 2-1-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. J. W. Walton, 1320 West State. 2-4-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework in country, must give reference. Ill. Phone 50-741. 2-2-tf

WANTED—Girl over 16 to do hand work and run machines in clothing factory. Apply office J. Cappe & Sons, Ltd. 1-15-tf

FOR RENT—Vehicle storage. Cherry's Annex. 2-6-4t

FOR RENT—An upright piano. Call Illinois phone 1188. 1-22-tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house in west end. Illinois phone 077. 1-22-tf

FOR RENT—Houses all ways. The Johnson Agency. 2-1-tf

FLAT FOR RENT—Three rooms and bath. 336 West State. Opposite Dunlap. 2-4-tf

FOR RENT—Five room house, 321 South West street. 1-23-tf

FOR RENT—Five room cottage on Brown St. Enquire Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie. 1-30-6t

FOR RENT—Modern Flat, 219 1-2 South Sandy St. Bernard Gause. 1-20-tf

FOR RENT—Store room, with five living rooms; reasonable rent. Bell 780. 2-20-tf

FOR RENT—5 room house, 520 S. East street. Inquire Illinois phone 954. F. J. Degen. 1-28-tf

FOR RENT—The Dr. Weirich office rooms in Cherry Apartments. Apply Cherry's Livery. 2-2-tf

FOR RENT—Seven room modern house; steam heat furnished free. Apply 1011 S. East St. 2-4-tf

FOR RENT—Four room house with gas, elstern and sink in kitchen. 647 South West St. 1-19-tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—9 room house, 205 Woodland Place. Apply Layton McGhee, Hopper's Store. 2-2-6t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in modern house, board nearby. 450 E. East street. Bell phone 693. 2-1-tf

FOR RENT—5 room cottage, 923 W. Lafayette Ave. Gas, two lots. \$10. The Johnson Agency. 1-27-tf

FOR SALE—\$1500 farm mortgage, well secured. M. C. Hook & Co. 1-30-6t

FOR SALE—One fine old violin. 729 South West street. Bell phone 855. 2-1-6t

RUMMAGE SALE—For Old People's Home. Feb. 11-12. 211 South Sandy. 2-3-6t

FOR SALE—Few more choice hogs, suitable for meat. R. L. Harnay. Bell phone 947-2. 2-4-2t

FOR SALE—Combination brass and electric fixtures in good condition. Vannier China Shop. 2-4-3t

FOR SALE—Extra fine yearling Holstein bull. 1146 East Independence avenue. Illinois phone 1259. 2-4-tf

FOR SALE—Percheron stallion, imported J. F. Strawn 1231 Mount Ave. Ill. phone 787; Bell 788. 2-1-tf

FOR SALE—Shelving and counters in the Henry building. Francis of Ward Brothers. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Cheap household goods. Must vacate; leaving city. 2-1-tf

350 West College street. Illinois phone 1495.

FOR SALE—One hundred dollars bond and seven shares of the Illinois Telephone Co. R. Whitlock, Palmyra, Ill. 2-3-3t

FOR SALE—High class 5 year old jack, also some good family drivers. C. M. Strawn, Alexander, both phones. 2-1-tf

RUMMAGE SALE—For benefit of Old People's Home, Gause building, S. Sandy street, Feb. 11 and 12. 2-1-tf

FOR SALE—Fancy apples, sweet potatoes and turnips; delivered. L. H. James, Ill. phone 86. 1-5-tf

FOR SALE—Real bargain in modern cottage home. See our space adv. The Johnston Agency. 1-21-tf

FOR SALE—Second hand black leather couch, oak dining table and mahogany settee. Mrs. E. A. Wickemeyer, 817 West State St. 2-3-2t

FOR SALE—Golden oak combination book case and writing desk, glass door and mirror, in excellent condition, at a bargain. The Johnston Agency. 2-1-tf

PUBLIC SALE—Tuesday, Feb. 8th, at my farm 2 1-2 miles northwest of Woodson. Horses, cattle, farm machinery and implements, hay and corn. Mrs. John Mandeville. 1-20-7t

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 9, Arthur L. Johnson, 2 miles east of Chapin, 8 miles west of Jacksonville; will sell 8 head of horses, 23 cattle, 15 hogs, farm implements, etc. at 10 a. m. 1-30-6t

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY TO LEND ALWAYS—The Johnson Agency. 2-1-tf

CHOICE CLOVER and timothy seed. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co. 1-23-tf

ONE Jersey heifer calf to trade for fat hog. 855 Edge Hill road. 2-1-6t

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SPECIAL BARGAINS—Harness and strap work. Prices right. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co. 1-22-tf

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WOODS' CARRIAGE AND BAG-gage line. Order for all trains and special occasions. Prompt and reliable service at all times. Both phones 174. Office at 219 East Court St. 1-5-tf

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LOST and FOUND

LOST—One Weed chain Sunday night, Illinois Phone 599. 2-2-3t

LOST—Thursday afternoon between Armstrong Drug Store and Woolworth's 10 cent store, black purse. Reward for return to Journal office. 2-4-2t

FOUND—Velvet purse containing \$4.00 in money. Purse seen at high school since first of year. Owner call and get it there and pay for adv. 2-4-2t

LOST—Wednesday, a black handbag containing calling cards and several pieces of jewelry, which were highly prized. If finder will return to Journal office a very liberal reward will be offered. 2-1-3t

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After 6 p. m. or on Sunday call Bell 511 or Ill 234.

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Henry Moody and Frank Wiggins were representatives of the east part of the county in the city yesterday.

WORLD'S MARKET NEWS

LITTLE IMPROVEMENT IN EXPORTS GIVES SOME DEGREE OF SUPPORT

Market Closes Nervous at Exactly the Same as Wednesday's Finish After Much Wavering.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—After much wavering the wheat market today closed nervous at exactly the same as yesterday's finish, with May 1.33 and July 1.24. A little improvement in the export demand gave some degree of support. Corn suffered a net loss of 1/8 to 1/4% and oats of 1/4 to 1/2%. In provisions the outcome varied from 2 1/2 decline to a rise of 5c.

Estimates of export sales of wheat put the total as high as 1,200,000 bushels, but it was said that only one-third of the amount was from domestic sources. Successive announcements of railroad embargo and against Philadelphia, Baltimore, Newport News and New Orleans tended to cause an unusual number of small fluctuations.

Numerous messages expressing fear of cold weather damage to the winter crop, especially as to Illinois and Missouri fields, attracted considerable attention in the wheat pit, but seemed to have no decided effect on the market. Some complaints of actual injury were included.

Prospects of a material increase of receipts weakened the corn market. On the other hand there was considerable talk of a shortage of railroad cars in the corn belt. Oats gave way with corn. The fact that export sales of 1,500,000 bushels of oats were announced did not seem to have much influence on the market.

Chicago Livestock Market

Receipts 42,000.
Market weak; averaged a shade lower.
Bulk 7.60@7.85
Light 7.30@7.85
Mixed 7.50@7.90
Heavy 7.45@7.95
Rough 7.45@7.60
Pigs 5.75@6.90

CATTLE.

Receipts 15,000.
Market easy.
Native beef steers 6.40@6.60
Western steers 6.60@8.25
Cows and heifers 3.20@8.25
Calves 8.00@11.00

SHEEP.

Receipts 15,000.
Market unsettled; a few lambs at \$11.25, the year's top.
Wethers 7.60@8.15
Ewes 5.40@7.75
Lambs 8.50@11.25

New York Grain Market

New York, Feb. 3.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Durum 1.45; No. 1 Northern Duluth 1.50; and No. 1 Northern Manitoba 1.53 f. o. b. New York; May 1.41.
Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 yellow 8 1/2 prompt.
Oats—Spot steady.

New York Money Market

New York, Feb. 3.—Mercantile paper, 3 1/2%.
Bar silver, 56 1/2.
Mexican dollars, 47 1/2.
Time loans, 2 1/2%.
Call money: High 2; low 1 1/2; closing bid 1 1/2.

Minneapolis Grain Market

Minneapolis, Feb. 3.—Wheat—Steady. Cash No. 1 hard 1.38; No. 1 northern 1.32@1.35; to arrive 1.34@1.34; No. 2 northern 1.28@1.32; No. 3 wheat 1.23@1.29.
(Furnished by Jas. E. Bennett Co.)
Open High Low Close
Wheat
May 1.33 1.33 1.32 1.33
July 1.24 1.25 1.23 1.24
Corn
May 79 79 78 78
July 79 79 78 79
Oats
May 50 50 49 49
July 47 47 46 47
Pork
May 20.35 20.35 20.32 20.45
July 20.50 20.50 20.45 20.45
Lard
May 10.07 10.15 10.07 10.07
July 10.22 10.30 10.22 10.75
Ribs
May 10.92 11.00 10.92 10.95
July 11.07 11.15 10.97 11.10

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Wheat—No. 3 red 1.30; No. 2 hard winter 1.31@1.34; No. 3 hard winter 1.26@1.30; No. 4 hard winter 1.19; No. 1 northern spring 1.34; No. 3 northern spring 1.31.
Corn—No. 3 white 76@77 1/2; No. 4 white 74@74 1/2; No. 4 yellow 72; No. 5 yellow 71 1/2@72 1/2.
Oats—No. 3 white 18 1/2@50; No. 4 white 17 1/2@48 1/2; No. 4 white 50@51 1/2.
Lucerne, Switzerland, Jan.—Minnie Hauk has completed the memoirs of her operative life comprising many of the operative and musical events of America and Europe, for the last fifty years, with which she has been so prominently associated, also her various seasons at the opera houses of London, New York, Paris, Vienna and Berlin and her three trips around the world.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 red 1.37@1.38; No. 3 red 1.27@1.32; No. 4 red 1.18@1.27; No. 3 hard winter 1.25@1.28; No. 4 hard winter 1.20.
Corn—No. 2 77; No. 3 75 1/2; No. 4 white 74; No. 4 yellow 69.
Oats—No. 2 50 1/2; No. 4 49; No. 3 white 50 1/2@51 1/2; No. 4 white 49.
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ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET

Receipts 9,300.
Market 5c to 10c lower.
Pigs and lights 6.00@7.50
Mixed and butchers 7.65@7.90
Good heavy 7.90@9.00

CATTLE.

Receipts 2,300.
Market steady.
Native beef steers 7.50@9.50
Yearling steers and heifers 8.50@9.35
Stockers and feeders 5.00@7.25
Cows 3.50@7.00

SHEEP.

Receipts 500.
Market steady.
Yearling wethers 8.00@9.50
Lambs 9.00@11.00
Ewes 6.25@7.50

Peoria Grain Market

Peoria, Ill. Feb. 3.—Corn—No. 5 white, 69 1/2; No. 3 yellow 73 1/2; No. 4 yellow 72; No. 3 mixed 72; No. 4 mixed 72 1/2; sample 40@65.
Oats—1 1/2 lower; No. 3 white 48 1/2; No. 4 white 47 1/2.

STOCK MARKET SETTLES DOWN TO ITS USUAL ROUTINE

Further General Recoveries from the Acute Depression of the Early Week Aids Made.

New York, Feb. 3.—The market settled down to its usual routine today with further general recoveries from the acute depression of the early week. Trading frequently was apathetic, but the same leaders—United States Steel, Baldwin Locomotive, Crucible Steel and Mexican Petroleum—more or less in the order

BAN ON SALE OF CIDER AT FRANKLIN

VILLAGE BOARD PASSED ORDINANCE AGAINST DRINK.

Central Illinois Public Service Company Buys Olinger Plant for \$6,000 and City to Have New Lights—Other Franklin News.

At the last meeting of the village board of Franklin an ordinance was passed declaring the sale of cider to be a nuisance, excepting the sale of sweet cider, during the months of September, October and November and providing a penalty of not less than \$25 for a violation of the provisions. The ordinance was adopted unanimously. The ordinance is patterned after that recently passed by the Jacksonville council. It becomes effective Monday Feb. 14.

Light Plant Sold.

At the meeting a communication was also read from the state public utilities commission relative to the sale of the C. W. Olinger electric light plant, franchise and street lighting contract to the Central Illinois Public Service company for \$6,000. The Franklin light committee will employ a lawyer to represent the village at the hearing and insist upon the installing of a lighting system at the earliest date possible.

Fine for Drunkenness.

An ordinance was also passed imposing a fine of \$5.00 for the first offense for drunkenness and a fine of \$15 for the second offense.

The following items of interest of the Franklin community are taken from the Times:

Died in Chicago.

Mrs. Jesse Fentress, a cousin of Lewis Massie, Mrs. Scott Transparger, Jesse and John Bateman and Miss Anna Bateman, died at her home in Chicago Tuesday. Her remains were interred in St. Louis Thursday by the side of her husband, who died some years since. The maiden name of the deceased was Street. Her mother was Mary Ann Massie, a sister of William and Lewis Massie, Sr., and following the death of her mother while she was quite young she was raised in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hayes, who lived on what is known as the Chas. Lynch farm north of town. Mrs. Fentress has visited here on numerous occasions, her last visit being in the summer of 1913, and was known to many of our citizens.

Bitten by Mule.

William Harris, of the east side, was bitten on the hand by a mule Monday afternoon and received a severe injury. Harris and Baird Anderson were bringing a load of hogs to town for Marva Anderson and one of the mules got down in the mud. Harris was trying to get the animal up when it made a quick snap and seized his hand in its mouth and crushed the flesh severely before sundry kicks by Anderson forced it to let loose.

Cancer Removed From Child.

The nine months old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deegan of Alexandria underwent a serious operation at a Springfield hospital Thursday, when a cancer and two tumors were removed from the child's back. The case is said to be an unusual one among children of such tender age, and has aroused much interest among members of the medical profession.

CONGREGATIONAL BROTHERHOOD

The Congregational Brotherhood will have a regular meeting in the church parlors this evening. Supper at the usual hour and after that an interesting program may be expected.

FURNITURE SALE.

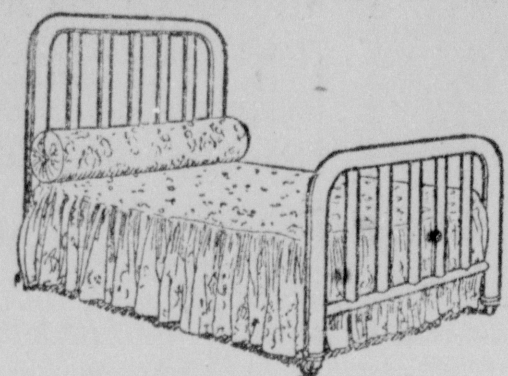
The furniture taken from the Pacific hotel will be sold at public sale in the Elmie building on East State street. Sale will be held each day from 8 to 11 a. m. and 2 to 5 p. m. until all is disposed of.

**STOMACH ACTS FINE!
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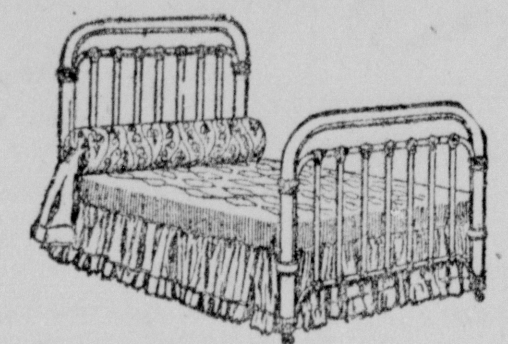
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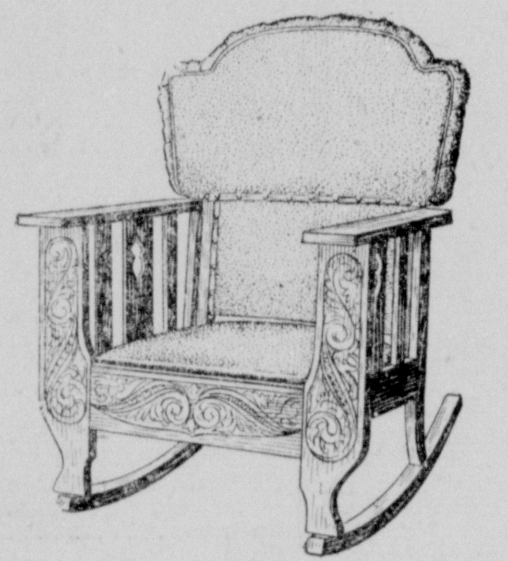
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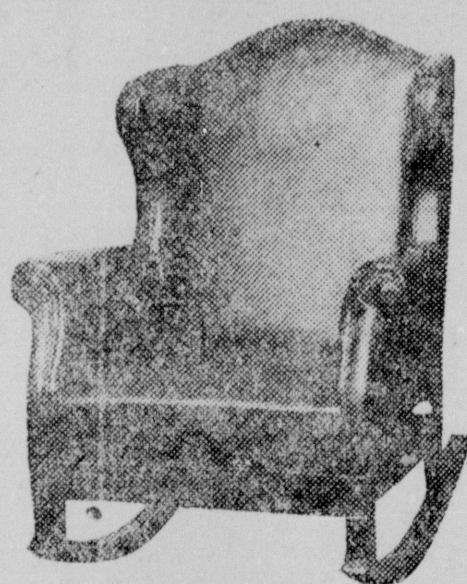
2-inch continuous post bed, with 1/2 in. fillers. Vernis Martin finish, regular price \$7.50; **sale price \$5.95**



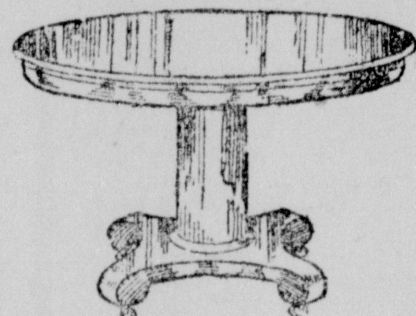
2-inch continuous post bed, with 1/2 in. filler; regular \$6 bed, at **\$3.95**



This large, full upholstered rocker; regular \$6 value, **\$4.95** at



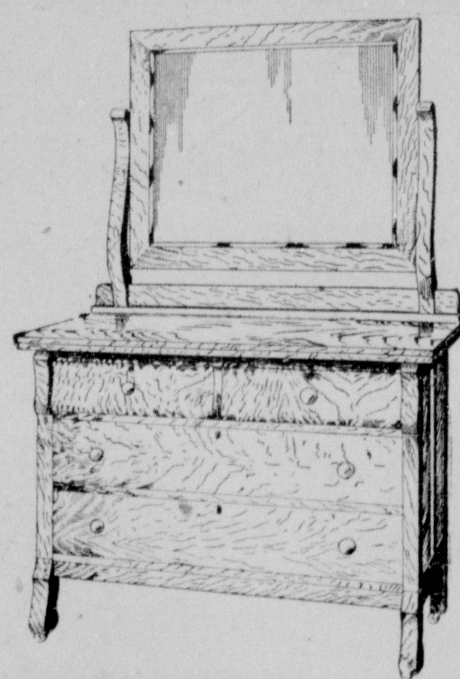
This rocker is upholstered in genuine leather and is very massive; **\$16.50** reg. price \$18.75; sale price



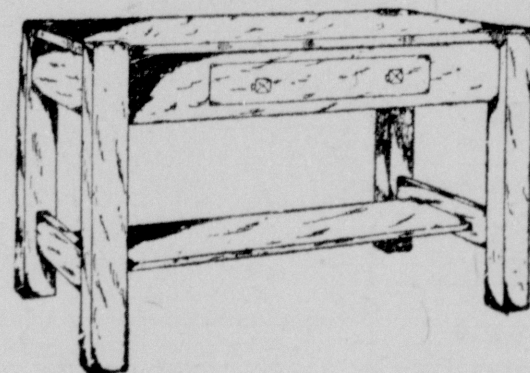
This table is made of genuine oak, is 48 in. wide and spreads 6 ft.; **\$14.95** reg. price \$17.50; sale price



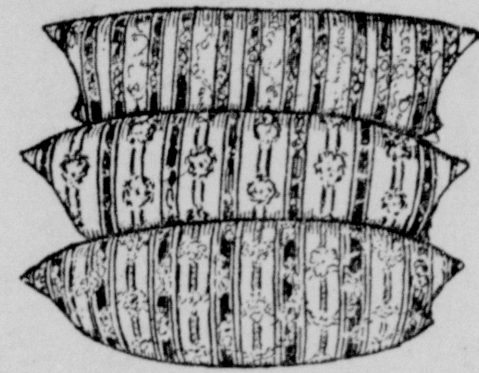
Large massive chiffonette, like cut; reg. \$15 value... **\$12.95**



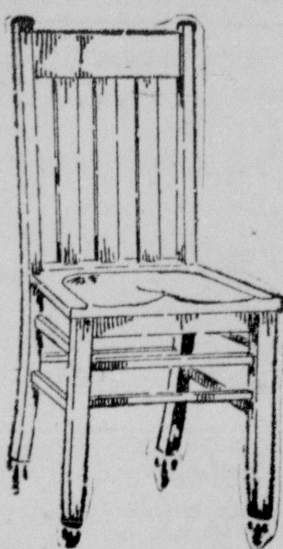
This genuine oak dresser, 42 in. case; reg. \$12.50 value... **\$8.75**



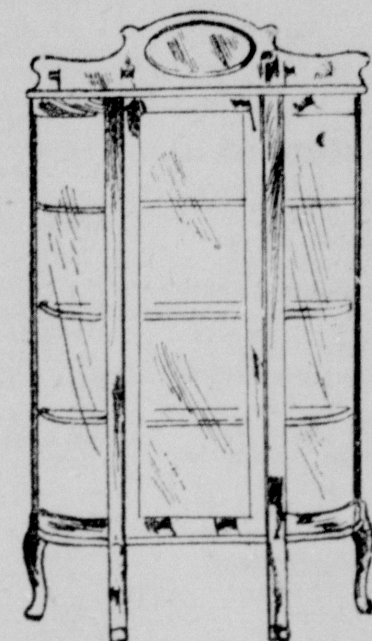
Genuine oak library table, 28x42 finished; reg. \$9.00 value... **\$6.95**



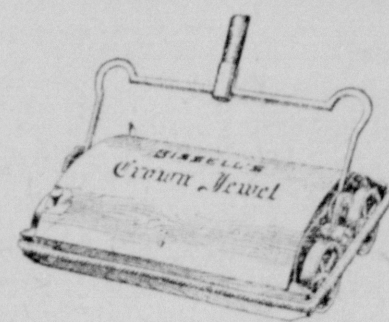
This sale, \$2 feather pillows... **\$1.49**
\$2.50 pillows... **\$1.85**
\$4.00 pillows... **\$2.95**



This chair is made of genuine quartered oak, beautifully finished in fumed; regular price \$2; now... **\$1.65**



This 60 inch china closet; well finished; regular value \$13.50, now **\$9.95**



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"WETS" FILE PETITION IN DECATUR-4,301 NAMES

Election Two Months Hence in Neighboring City Promises to Be Hard Fought One.

The wet and dry fight for Decatur was opened Wednesday morning when C. S. Haskins filed the petition on the "wets," asking for an election on April 1 to make Decatur township wet territory, says the Decatur Herald. The petition was filed with Henry Johnson, town clerk, and contains 4,301 names of men and women voters of the township, but practically all from the city.

Helped Him Out.

When Mr. Haskins came in at 9:40 o'clock Wednesday morning he said, "Well, here's the petition the newspapers have been filing for the last two days." He was accompanied by James E. Taylor and C. F. Housman. There was no other demonstration outside of the formality in presenting it to the town clerk.

Mr. Haskins has been appointed manager of the "wet" campaign from now until election.

Anton Spaeth said Wednesday evening: "The wets made no systematic campaign in getting the signatures. The petitions were placed in the hands of a number of our friends who circulated them among theirs. Had we conducted our campaign for signatures in a systematic manner we could have secured twice the number of names. We only needed about 2,000."

The "wets" now have started the fight and it is generally agreed that it will be a hard one. The election is only about two months off and both sides will line up their forces in the near future.

208 Separate Sheets.

The petitions are filed as one, which is required by law. There are 208 separate sheets, each having enough lines for 25 signatures of voters. Practically all of the sheets have 25 names. Some have 39, and some have only a few. One woman secured the signatures of nearly 200 men and women voters, which was the largest number by any one solicitor.

T. P. Calhoun was able to get out yesterday for the first time in several weeks and was delighted to get a taste of fresh air. He hopes soon to be with his friends all right.

THURSDAY IN CONGRESS.

Met at noon. Resumed consideration of Philippine independence bill. Judiciary subcommittee began considering appointment of Louis D. Brandeis to supreme court.

Public lands committee continued oil and leasing bill hearings. Final vote on Philippine bill went over to Friday.

Recessed at 4:27 p. m. until noon Friday.

House.

Met at noon. Passed Speaker Clark's resolution to create a special standing committee to handle legislation relating to flood control.

Voted to print President Wilson's preparedness speeches as a public document.

Resumed discussion of Indian affairs bill.

Military and naval committees continued hearings on preparedness program.

Secretary Wilson urged a national employment bureau before the labor committee.

Adjourned at 4:27 p. m. to noon Friday.

TAX COLLECTION IN OUTSIDE TOWNS

Sheriff Graff and Deputy Sheriff Andrews will soon begin the collection of taxes in towns in the county. This is done as a matter of convenience to taxpayers who do their banking in other Morgan county cities and towns. The itinerary of Sheriff Graff and his deputy follows:

February 21—Concord.
February 23-24—Meaford.
February 25—7 to 12 m.—Murrayville.
February 25—12 to 5 p. m.—Opodson.
February 28-29—Waverly.
March 1—Literberry.
March 2—Prentice.
March 3—Franklin.
March 6—Chapin.

Thomas B. Myers of the east part of Scott county, with Murrayville rural one as his postoffice address, was attending to business in the city yesterday.

MEXICAN MONEY FLOOD CASE IN U. S. COURT

Claim Treasury Agents Beat it Across Border With Outfit—Prominent Americans Involved.

San Francisco, Feb. 3.—Charged with having stolen the lithographing stones from which Mexican money is made, and with having these stones in their possession in San Francisco, Jacinto Luengo, formerly an employee of the Mexican treasury, and Lorenzo Arriba, his alleged confederate, will be tried in the United States District Court here tomorrow. Not only are the Mexicans involved in the money scandal, but three prominent Californians have been arrested on charges of conspiring to utter and pass counterfeit treasury notes of Mexico.

The Americans involved are Robert M. Widney, son of Judge R. H. Widney of Los Angeles, Philip Thom and Walter S. Williams, two mining brokers. It is also claimed by the agent of Carranza who brought about the round-up that the Southern Pacific Company has been a large purchaser of this alleged spurious money, and shipped it to its Mexican offices, where it was used to pay off its employees, according to the agent.

Anchor who was hoodwinked, according to J. M. Arriola, Carranza's secret service agent, was a Mexican sent to San Francisco last spring to sell diamonds for Senora Iturbide, wife of General Iturbide. It is claimed that he took back with him a large quantity of the alleged spurious money, and did not discover the alleged fraud until he was back on Mexican soil.

When Luengo and Arriba were first arraigned here a few weeks ago, their counsel declared there is no legal Carranza currency other than that which is issued by some of the banks having a government charter. He claimed that when orders were given for the issue of the Carranza notes, two-thirds of the members of the Mexican congress were in prison, and there existed no other legal authority to issue money. Nevertheless, he said, 1,822,000 pesos of this money was issued and circulated, and whenever the issue got too thick, the printer was shot.

The agent of Carranza came to San Francisco a few weeks ago, bearing a letter of introduction to Widney, Williams and Thom.

DICKENS FELLOWSHIP MEETS AT ST. LOUIS

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—The second annual convention of the Dickens Fellowship Movement of America which convened here today, has brought together the leading lovers of Charles Dickens, who aim to exemplify the teachings of Dickens and to cultivate and diffuse the spirit which pervades his writings.

The American organization is a branch of the Dickens Fellowship movement formed in London in 1902. It is estimated there are twenty-five millions of Dickens books in circulation. The life presidents of the organization are the two surviving Dickens children, Henry F. Dickens, Kansas City, and Mrs. Kate Perugini.

A UNIQUE GIFT.

J. Herman has received from a city wholesale house a unique and acceptable gift. It is a combination clock, a good time keeper, a cigar holder and an ash tray, all combined in one neat and attractive article and the recipient takes a little pardonable pride in his new possession.

FURNITURE SALE.

The furniture taken from the Pacific hotel will be sold at public sale in the Elmie building on East State street. Sale will be held each day from 8 to 11 a. m. and 2 to 5 p. m. until all is disposed of.

THOMAS SCOTT HELD TO NEXT GRAND JURY

Appears in Justice Court to Answer Charge of Perjury—Lawrence Mills Waives Examination.

Lawrence Mills was before Justice Dyer Thursday on the charge of passing worthless checks. He waived examination and was placed under bond of \$200 for his appearance at the May term of the circuit court. In default of bond he was sent to jail.

Thomas Scott of Broadway alley was before Justice Dyer court on charge of perjury. It will be remembered that Scott who is proprietor of a lively barn in Broadway alley was before the grand jury and testified as to seeing the illegal sale of liquor by John Konrad. When Konrad's trial came up in the last term of the county court Scott, suffering a lapse of memory, brain storm or something and could not recall what he had ever seen the defendant dispose of any liquor illegally.

Scott's testimony on the witness stand aroused the ire of States Attorney Tilton who had him arrested on the charge of perjury.

Scott was represented by John M. Butler while States Attorney Tilton appeared for the people. The testimony of Patrolman Perry White was given, he having been a member of the grand jury before which Scott testified. The transcript of the court record made by Henry W. English was also presented in evidence. After hearing the evidence the court held Scott to the next grand jury and fixed his bond in the sum of \$500.

Bond was furnished by Edward Konrad and Scott was released.

Lee Burnett Arrested.

Lee Burnett was arrested Thursday on a warrant sworn out by his brother, charging threats to kill. His hearing was set for Monday, Feb. 7, and the court fixed his bond at \$100, in default of which he was committed to jail.

There is a sequel to the Burnett case. It appears that there has been a sort of family quarrel in the Burnett family. The defendant mentioned above, Lee Burnett, it appears had sworn out a warrant against his sister, Nellie Burnett, and his brother, Ralph Burnett, charging assault and battery. They came before Justice Dyer and pleaded guilty and were assessed a fine of \$3 and costs,

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which is the minimum fine. The defendant, Lee Burnett, alleged his sister, Nellie Burnett, hit across the nose with an iron pole

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ILLINOIS COLLEGE DRAMATIC CLUB TO APPEAR IN VIRGINIA

Will Present "Sunset and Indian Summer" at the Tureman Opera House.

Arrangements have been made by the Dramatic club of Illinois College to present Jerome K. Jerome's "Sunset and Indian Summer" at Tureman's opera house in Virginia Feb. 17. The Virginia Enquirer in speaking of the event says:

"This no doubt will be an entertainment of unusual merit as so many of our Virginia people are interested in Illinois college by reason of the fact that members of the family have been or are at present students in that institution."

"Aside from the local interest in Illinois college, the play will be presented by talented members of the company whose work along that line is favorably commented on by all who have witnessed their productions."

People of Virginia have become quite well acquainted in the last few years with the activities of Illinois college at Jacksonville. This is due largely to the good representation of Virginia high school graduates at that institution and the prominent part they are playing in the college life there. Leona McPhillimey, Ralph Newell, Harold Humphrey, Harry McLaughlin and Arthur Gustafson are all well known here.

It is thru the efforts of Mr. Gustafson that arrangements have been made with the manager of the local opera house for the production of Jerome K. Jerome's comedies, "Sunset" and "Indian Summer," by a cast including some of the most experienced actors of Illinois college. The leading roles are filled by those who have starred for several years in Shakespeare plays presented by the L. C. Dramatic club, an organization whose performances have lately attracted attention thruout the state.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Parent-Teachers' Meeting Was Held.

A parent-teachers' meeting was held Thursday at the Maple Grove school. Mrs. Ralph Crabtree, the president, was in charge with Mrs. Sidney Jones as secretary.

Plans were talked over relative to a Washington birthday celebration and questions were put in a box, which are to be answered at the next meeting. It was planned to have Dr. Weirich as the principal speaker, but he was out of the city on professional business. There were talks, however, by Mrs. Minnie Anderson Kline, Burley Jones, Mrs. Lizzie Lee of Donna, Texas, Mrs. George F. LaRue. Mrs. Weirich read a paper on how the members of the Parent-Teachers' association should unite for the greatest good. A piano duet was given by Jean LaRue and Maude Eva Hackett. Light refreshments were served and the time was very profitably spent.

Reunion at Orlean Keemer Home Wednesday.

There was a pleasant family reunion Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orlean Keemer, just north of the long bridge on North Main street. The gathering was in honor of Mrs. Keemer's sixty-second birthday and there were assembled their son Henry and wife of Peoria and Charles and wife of Scott county. A bountiful dinner was much enjoyed by all present and a delightful day was had recalling days gone by and in various pleasant ways.

All Day Sewing.

A very pleasant time was enjoyed by a goodly company of ladies at an all day sewing at Passavant hospital yesterday. The ladies were members mostly of the hospital aid society and did excellent work as they have done so many times in days gone by. Their work has ever been most acceptable and on this occasion they did much work that was greatly needed by that worthy institution and their work and unselfish efforts are fully appreciated by the management of the institution.

Ladies' Aid of Literberry Church.

The Ladies' Aid society of Baptist church of Literberry held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. A. Litter. The regular business session was carried out and roll call was had. Afterward refreshments were served. There was a good attendance and the meeting was a most profitable one.

Spent Profitable Time.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Literberry Christian church was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. G. Cantrell. There was a splendid attendance of members. The regular program, including roll call, was carried out. Refreshments were served.

Helping Circle of Hebrew Church.

The Helping Circle of Hebrew church had an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Besimear of the Sinclair neighborhood Thursday. Lunch was served at noon and an interesting program was carried out in the afternoon. Altogether the day was one of pleasure and profit for the ladies present. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Daubard, Friday, Feb. 17.

Entertains Clubs.

Mrs. A. H. Atherton entertained the members of the Auf Wiedersehen club and the Oneida club at her home, 850 East College avenue, Thursday afternoon. The hours were delightfully spent and light refreshments were served.

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING WITH ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church Met Yesterday—Outline Program for Ensuing Year.

The annual meeting and thanks offering of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Percy W. Stephens on Diamond Court. The annual report showed the society active in both home and foreign missions. The faithfulness of the president, Mrs. Mary Springer, has ever been an incentive to greater efforts on the part of the members. The program consisted of a Bible reading by Mrs. Murdock, prayer followed by a solo by Miss Mabel Goltra, "With Him", Mrs. Abbie Burr acting as accompanist. Mrs. L. B. Turner gave a reading on "Eleven reasons why I attend the missionary meetings". The thanks-offering amounted to \$23.35. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. Mary Springer.
First Vice-president—Mrs. R. C. Henley.
Second Vice-president—Mrs. Jerry Cox.
Assistant Secretary—Mrs. O. N. Barr.
Treasurer—Miss Nettie Hayden.
Assistant Treasurer—Mrs. Dennis Schram.
Press Reporter—Miss Mabel Goltra.

Following the business session a social hour was enjoyed and light refreshments were served.

Program for Year.

The program for the following year was announced as follows: March 2—Topic, "Some Builders of the King's Highway in Non-Christian Lands"; leader, Mrs. McIntyre; hostess, Mrs. L. B. Turner.

April 6—Topic, "Notable Baptists in Asia and Africa"; leader, Mrs. Belle Hocking; hostess, Mrs. Joseph Shreve.

May 4—Topic, "Discovering Needs"; leader, Mrs. A. B. Williamson; hostess, Mrs. Rollins Tanner.

June 1—Topic, "Training Workers"; leader, Mrs. Dennis Schram; hostess, Mrs. William Newman.

July 6—Topic, "Northern Baptist Convention"; leader, Mrs. J. P. Brown; hostess, Mrs. Alice Rabjohn.

August 3—Topic, "Missionary Snapshots"; leader, Mrs. G. W. Gard; hostess, Mrs. Mary Blunt.

Sept. 7—Topic, "State Missions"; leader, Mrs. Jennie Mayer; hostess, Mrs. E. A. Goltra.

Oct. 5—Topic, Home Missions (to be announced); leader, Mrs. O. N. Barr; hostess, Mrs. W. T. Spire.

Nov. 2—Home Missions (topic to be announced); leader, Mrs. Sarah Price; hostess, Mrs. George H. Kopper.

Dec. 7—Topic, Home Missions. Leader, Miss Mabel Goltra. Hostess, Misses Hayden.

Jan. 4—(Topic to be announced) Leader, Miss Etta Massey; hostess, Mrs. Joseph Jackson.

February 1—(Topic to be announced); leader, Mrs. L. B. Turner; hostess, Mrs. John R. Hill.

Harmony lodge, No. 3, A. F. and A. M., will hold a special meeting Friday evening at 7 o'clock for work. Visiting brethren welcome.

John Nunes, W. M.
John R. Phillips, Sec.

WILL TAKE SOUTHERN TRIP

Dr. E. F. Baker is to leave Monday for St. Louis where he will join his sister, Mrs. Sholl, and her daughter of Quincy, for a southern trip. They will go at once to Jacksonville, Florida, and expect to spend a month or two in the south. They may make the return trip along the eastern coast.

BAR DOCKET WAS NOT SET.

It was the intention of the members of the Morgan county bar to meet Wednesday and set the docket for the first week of the February term of the circuit court. Later it was decided not to set the docket, hence no action will be taken until the arrival of Judge Jones in the city Monday.

QUASHES ORIGINAL INDICTMENT

New York, Feb. 3.—Judge Henry D. Clayton, in federal district court here today, ordered quashed the original indictment returned against officers and directors of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad who recently were tried and acquitted before Judge William H. Hunt on a superseding indictment charging them with being concerned in a conspiracy to monopolize trade in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. The same charge was made in the indictment ordered quashed.

ADMIT FAILURE OF CAMPAIGN

London, Feb. 3.—German sources admit the failure of the Turkish campaign in the Caucasus says a Central News despatch from Amsterdam. There has been heavy fighting ten miles south of Erzerum, where the Turks sent reinforcements from Trebizond, according to the dispatch. The Turks are declared to have fought stubbornly but were compelled to retreat. Eighty wounded Turkish officers and 5,000 wounded men have arrived at Trebizond, the message adds.

FAIL TO DISPLACE LEADERS.

Aurora, Ill., Feb. 3.—Matty Faez, former national champion, John Kaiser and other bowling stars rolled at the inter-state meet here today but failed to displace the leaders. Faez and Kaiser both had good chances in the singles, but fell down in their final games. Kaiser needed anything over 200 in his final game but got only 182.

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All the new Spring Shades in Ladies' Boot Silk Hose, at per pair50c
Appreciation Special in \$1.50 Royal Worcester Corsets, Spring Models at\$1.00
Lot of Mercerized Dresser Scarfs, Full size, good patterns, special at25c
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Lot of Ladies' knit skating caps, 59c and 75c values at50c
Lot of Ladies' Waists, \$1.00 and \$1.25 values, Select one this week at69c
Lot of Ladies' Union Suits, Our regular 50c values at39c
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MISS FRANCES BIRKENMEYER FOUND DEAD BESIDE PATIENT

Former Resident of Bluffs and Nurse in St. Louis Dies Suddenly.

The following account of the death of Miss Birkenmeyer, who in girlhood resided on what is now the Burrus farm, two miles west of Bluffs, is taken from the St. Louis Star of recent date:

Miss Frances W. Birkenmeyer, 5038 Vernon avenue, a trained nurse, was found dead in a chair beside the bed of a patient, Mrs. Frank B. Eckhart, 3235 Pennsylvania avenue, at 7 a. m. today when Eckhart went into the room to learn his wife's condition. Mrs. Eckhart is said to be dying from pneumonia.

She was unconscious and was unaware of the tragedy at her bedside. Dr. Hugo Kinner, Sr., 1102 Rutger street, who was attending Mrs. Eckhart, was called and said the nurse had been dead some time. He and Eckhart notified the police.

The coroner's physician reported after an autopsy that Miss Birkenmeyer had died from heart disease. The nurse's chart of Mrs. Eckhart's case had been kept by Miss Birkenmeyer until 3:30 a. m., it was found at the Eckhart home.

The police could not establish the identity of the nurse, but The Star learned that she formerly was a Missouri Baptist Sanitarium nurse, and has been residing lately with her cousin, Mrs. Paris Giers, at 5038 Vernon avenue.

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BROKE BONES IN FALL.

Mrs. C. Oglesby slipped and fell on the icy sidewalk last night on her way home to 631 South Church street. She broke both bones of the right leg near the ankle joint. An X-ray picture was taken at the Home Sanitarium and the necessary surgical attention given by Doctors Kennebrough and Beverly.



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3 large Cans Milk.....25c
(Honey Bee and Fox River.)

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3 Cans Peas.....25c
Corn Flakes, package.....5c
Mustard Sardines, 3 for.....25c
Oil Sardines, 6 for.....25c
Large Can Salmon.....10c
Mince Meat, 3 packages.....25c
Prunes, 15c lb., two for.....25c
3 Cans Corn.....25c

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Hardware dealers are among the other merchants who are feeling the effects of the European war in a very personal way because prices of stocks they buy have made such remarkable advances in recent months. A hardware dealer who buys tools or nails or building supplies now is not governed by the catalog prices that he formerly paid, lists from which large discounts were allowed. Now it works the other way, and in placing an order, even for standard goods which are usually kept on the shelves, the dealer must write in for a quotation if he wants to know the exact price he is paying. Jobbers and wholesalers are quoting prices subject to change without notice or limit in a very brief way the time within which offerings are made good. If the dealers had any intention of quitting business they could dispose of their stocks at high prices, but if they wish to continue and must replenish their stocks from time to time on present high market levels they are not in position to reap any particular benefit from the high prices.

What is true of hardware applies to all metals and the advances made since the war began have varied from 40 to 700 per cent. This record is hardly surpassed even in the drug trade, where the recorded advances have been especially sensational.

CHARLES KIRK DIES AT HOME IN LOS ANGELES

Formerly Resided in This City and
at One Time in Employ of Jack-
sonville Railway Company.

Mrs. C. C. Capps received a telegram Thursday announcing the death of Charles Kirk, which took place at the family home in Los Angeles, Cal., Thursday morning. No particulars were given and it is not known what was the cause of death. Deceased was the son of Mrs. Mary H. F. Kirk and the family formerly resided on Lincoln avenue in the property now occupied by Truman P. Carter. He was employed when in Jacksonville by George S. Rogers and also was in the employ of the Jacksonville Railway company.

The family left Jacksonville about ten years ago. He was about 33 years of age at the time of his death. He was a brother of Paul Kirk, who is living in California and of Edward Kirk, who is at present in South America.

LINCOLN COLLEGE TONIGHT
Fast game with Routt, 7:45 a. m.

Mrs. Effie Carter of Girard was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

GEORGE W. WATSON ADVANCED BY GENERAL ROOFING COMPANY

Former Jacksonville Young Man Now
Assistant to Vice President of
Company—Has Been Manager of
Mill at York, Pa.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the General Roofing company held recently George W. Watson was made assistant to Vice President Smith E. Allison in New York City. Mr. Watson graduated from Illinois college in 1903 and is very well known in this locality. He has during his connection with the General Roofing company been advanced from time to time to positions of increasing importance. For some time he has been manager of the York, Pa., mill owned by the company and his work there has been such as to indicate his qualifications for the important work of his new post. A number of the directors of the company are St. Louisans and at the stockholders' meeting it was reported that the sales of certain roof- ing products the past year were the greatest since the organization of the company. Several new offices and warehouses are being opened up at various points, including New Orleans, Los Angeles, Richmond and Indianapolis.

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SALVATION ARMY TO HAVE TRAINED BAND

C. C. Jeffries Agrees to Help New
Musical Organization.
Captain Mace of the Salvation army announced yesterday that he had completed arrangements with C. C. Jeffries for taking charge of the Salvation Army band or orchestra. The organization will not be commercial in any way, but will simply serve in adding to the interest and enthusiasm of Salvation Army services and social events. There are now twelve or fourteen young men and women with a great variety of instruments ready for training and it is the hope that the number may be increased to twenty and that funds may be secured for purchasing a number of needed new instruments. Mr. Jeffries expects to drill the organization two nights a week and he is making the arrangement for the special purpose of aiding the army in the good work which is being done.

BASKETBALL.
Fast game Springfield vs. J. H. S. Friday, Feb. 4th, 7:30, high school gym. Boost for J. H. S.

Miss Alice Hunter of Carlinville was in the city Thursday on her way to Carrollton to visit with friends.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF Y. M. C. A. IN ANNUAL MEETING

Encouraging Reports Were Heard
and the Election of Officers Was
Held.

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. board of directors was held last night in social hall at the "Y". At 6:30 o'clock a luncheon was served by the ladies of State street church. The directors talked over the business of the association and all the reports presented were encouraging, and the outlook bright for the ensuing year.

The officers elected follow:
President—H. J. Rodgers.
Vice President—C. S. Hillerby.
Recording Secretary—A. D. Fairbank.
Treasurer—W. G. Goebel.
Directors elected—H. J. Rodgers, Joshua Vasconcellos (new), W. C. Springgate, P. W. Jenkinson and Fred B. Hopper.

HAS SIGNED CONTRACT TO PLAY WITH DAVENPORT

William "Happy" DeFrates has signed a contract to play with Davenport in the Three Eye league the coming season. DeFrates has been playing amateur ball in Jacksonville and vicinity for the past four years. He is a third baseman and has been playing with the Eagles for the past three seasons. DeFrates has a good contract with Dan O'Leary, manager of the Davenport team. O'Leary is one of the best managers in the Three Eye circuit and has won several pennants. He has a reputation for developing youngsters and has sent up some good men to the majors. This year he is going to try out a lot of youngsters as there is a policy of retraining all along the line in the Three Eye. DeFrates is a good ball player, probably the best in this section. He is a fine fielder and a good hitter. He seems to hit his best against pitchers who are considered first-class. DeFrates will go to Davenport with the best wishes of a large number of local fans who feel sure that he will make good in Three Eye league company.

IT TAKES SALESMANSHIP TO SELL AUTOMOBILES

It takes advertising to sell Fords. For example—
Mr. Sipes, of this city, advertised in the Journal at 9 o'clock at night that he had a Ford car for sale. At 7 o'clock the next morning he sold his car and got the money. MORAL: Buy a Ford! It's a pleasure to own something that EVERYBODY WANTS. C. N. PRIEST, The Ford Man, is the agent, 228-30 South Sandy street, Jacksonville, Ill.

NOTICE.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for road commissioner in District No. 7, April 4th.
Yuba Funk.

DO YOU KNOW?
Editor Bliss of the Montgomery News has had a very perplexing problem submitted to him on relationship. It reads as follows:
"Peter Rowe, of Hillsboro, has two sons and a daughter. The Widow Wheeler has a son and two daughters. A. M. Davis has three daughters. Peter Rowe married the Widow Wheeler. A. M. Davis then married Mrs. Wheeler Rowe's daughter Washella. Then Peter Rowe's two sons married A. M. Davis' two daughters by his first wife. Then Mrs. Wheeler Rowe's son married Peter Rowe's daughter Nellie. Then Mrs. Wheeler Rowe's nephew, Port Rowe, married Eva, Mrs. Wheeler Rowe's other daughter. If all these couples implicated should have children what relation would they be to each other?"

PLUMBING CONTRACT LET.
The contract for the plumbing in the new building of the Northbury sanatorium has been awarded to Bernard Gause. As this contract includes the equipment for hydrotherapy treatment, the sum involved is large. With every contract let the fact becomes more apparent that the sanatorium when the new building is completed will be equipped in the most modern way possible.

J. C. Lee of Venice was transacting business matters in the city yesterday.

WEEK OF PRAYER TO BE HELD AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Fred H. Rindge, Rev. Wiley Linn Hurie and W. W. Gethmann to Be Among the Speakers.

Week of prayer for colleges will be observed at Illinois college next week. Three prominent speakers are to be present, including Fred H. Rindge of New York, industrial secretary of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A.; W. W. Gethmann of Chicago, state student secretary of the "Y." and Rev. Wiley Linn Hurie of Russellville, Ark. Mr. Hurie was graduated from Illinois college in 1906. He was valedictorian of his class, manager of the varsity football team, president of the students' Y. M. C. A. and a member of Phi Alpha society. After leaving Illinois he studied at McCormick seminary and later was graduated from Union college in New York city.

Mr. Rindge will hold the special services Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock at Academy hall, and will also speak at the chapel exercises Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Rev. Mr. Hurie will speak at chapel Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and he will remain on the campus the rest of the week to confer with leaders of the newly organized Y. M. C. A. of the college. The following Sunday he will preach at Westminster church and in the evening will lead the devotional services at Academy hall at 6:30 o'clock. Mr. Gethmann is also expected to take part in the exercises of the week.

**ILLINOIS COLLEGE
CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC.**
Registration for second semester at director's office, Academy Hall, Friday and Saturday, February 4 and 5.

IN DAIRYING BUSINESS.

R. E. Crabtree is soon to give up general farming and devote his attention to dairying, as he recently purchased the Hopper & Hofmann dairy and has since added a number of cows to the herd. Mr. Crabtree is to have a sale Feb. 17 of farm implements and some stock and intends to conduct his dairy business on quite an extensive scale. He has been unusually successful as a farmer and his record as a dairyman will no doubt follow along the same lines.

We take this method of thanking our friends and relatives for their kindness toward us during the late illness and bereavement of our beloved son and brother.
Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Elin and Family.

FUNERAL SERVICES.
Funeral services for Theodore L. Fisher will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of Owen Graff, 349 West College street. Services will be in charge of the Rev. P. W. Stephens.

Little Editorial

Edited by Myers Bros.

It Is the Wise Buyer Who Looks Forward

It is out of the ordinary for the average consumer to anticipate his wants—he usually waits until such time as the weather necessitates that he is ready to wear them.

The average consumer does not anticipate for the reason presumably that "his merchant" is a good buyer and that he will give you the advantage of his buy.

We are now placing a great many advance orders for next winter requirements, an unusual proceeding at this early date. However this early buy to "cover up" on a constantly rising market is our protection to you.

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Almost every day we receive correspondence relative to these advance costs. As an instance a recent letter advising that a staple work garment which is being retailed at 75 cents, would now be worth 94 cents, on futures in wholesale quantities, same being subject to confirmation by wire as supplies were limited at any cost.

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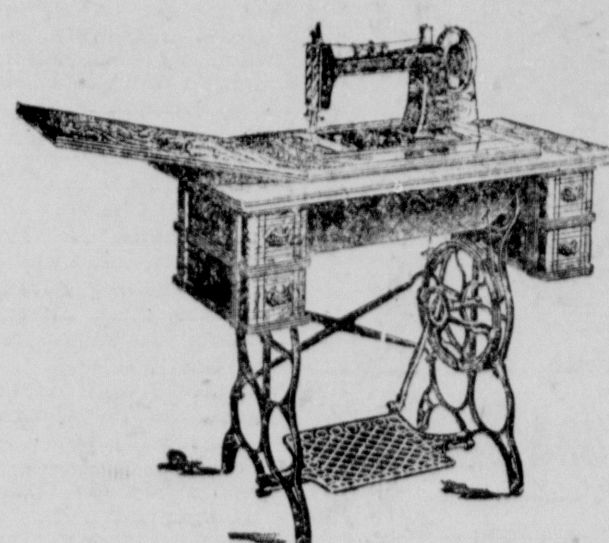
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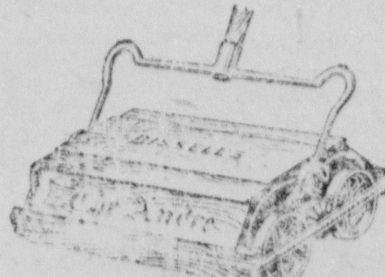
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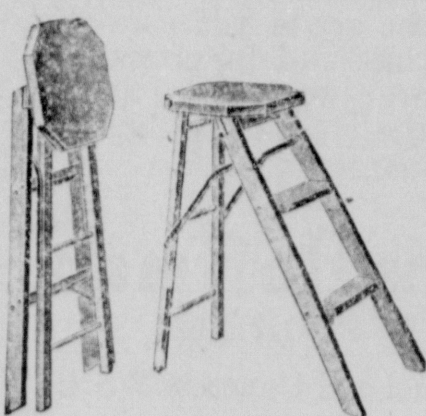
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